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## MIRACULOUS ESCAPE FOR A.S.P.

### CAR TURNS TURTLE MOTORING ACCIDENT OUT ON STANLEY ROAD

#### MR. AND MRS. MURPHY SAFE

Mr. "Tim" Murphy, Assistant Superintendent of Police (now Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence), his wife, Mr. T. Murphy, Mrs. J. Murphy, and Master Murphy (the last two being the wife and son of Inspector "Jack" Murphy) had a miraculous escape in a motoring accident on the Stanley-road yesterday evening, getting off with superficial injuries no worse than minor abrasions and bruises.

The party went out from town in a public motor-car for a trip. They arrived at Stanley at about 5 p.m. and began to return at about 6 p.m. Part of the uphill road from Stanley to the main round-the-island road is in course of being raised, so that the surface of half the width was about a foot higher than the old (original half).

**Hill Embankment**  
 The driver took the car up the new half. About 50 yards from the junction with the main road, he threw out the clutch. The car immediately went backward!

Mr. Murphy was seated in front. He had the presence of mind, when the driver lost control, to seize the steering wheel and direct the car toward the embankment in the hope of stopping it. Otherwise the car would have gone over the side at the first turn below.

Unfortunately, Mr. Murphy's operation was only partially successful. Gathering momentum as it swung down, the car proceeded diagonally and down-grade for more than 20 yards, ultimately striking the embankment with considerable force.

**Saturated With Petrol**  
 The impact caused the car to rebound, swerve over on to its side and then turn right over with wheels upward.

Mrs. T. Murphy and Master Murphy were thrown clear and rolled out of the way, getting a few abrasions. The driver was also thrown clear.

Mr. Murphy was imprisoned—but not pinned down badly—in his seat, and Mrs. J. Murphy was pinned down at the back.

In a short while they had turned the badly damaged car and freed themselves, nobody getting any shock effect.

It was subsequently ascertained, however, that Mrs. J. Murphy was bruised on the hips and that she was saturated with petrol.

**Friends At Hand**  
 Mr. A. B. Allen (of the R.N. Dockyard) and Mr. H. L. Lockhart (Inspector of Factories) were out at Stanley in another public car. They at once proceeded to the spot to render assistance, and Mr. Murphy and his party returned to town in their car.

Complete rest for a few days has been ordered for the ladies who, friends state, bore their experience with commendable fortitude. Mr. Murphy was on duty as usual this morning, feeling nothing more than the usual "stiffness" through being cramped up.

## ANOTHER MISHAP

### Sanitary Inspector Injured

Sanitary Inspector Gellatly figured in a motor accident on the Lai-chi-kok-road yesterday afternoon when his motor cycle came into collision with a private motor car.

How the collision occurred is not clear, but Mr. Gellatly was thrown from his cycle and suffered injury to his left knee.

## NAVAL MOVEMENTS

H.M.S. "Berwick" left Shanghai on Saturday and arrived at Nanjing yesterday.  
 H.M.S. "Bruce," "Seraph," and "Somers" left Amoy for Pagoda Anchorage yesterday.  
 H.M.S. "Sterling" and "Stormcloud" left Swatow yesterday for Amoy, where they arrived to-day.

Mr. Anselmy Upton, an employee of the Bombay-Burma Trading Corporation, has died from knife wounds received while in bed near Kunchong (Mongmit), he was subsequently shooting two of his servants.

## MR. GEORGE WATT SENIOR REVENUE OFFICER RETIRES

### CAREER IN THE COLONY

Announcement was made to-day of the retirement of Mr. George Watt from the post of Senior Revenue Officer, Hong Kong.

Mr. Watt, who had been ill for some time and had two long spells in hospital here, suffering from stomach trouble, went to Scotland on leave, accompanied by Mrs. Watt, about the middle of last year, and his retirement is stated to be on the advice of his medical attendant at home.

He first came to Hong Kong on December 12, 1904, as a constable in the Police Force, after having been a member of the Dumbarton County Police for some time.

Mr. Watt did regular duty for some time as a constable, and within a few years of his arrival was identified with the Hon. Mr. F. J. Baddeley, the then Captain Superintendent of Police, in the starting of the Finger Print Department in Hong Kong.

His promotion in the local Police Force was as follows:—

May 2, 1908—Acting Lance Sergeant.  
 March 22, 1910—Lance Sergeant.  
 August 1, 1913—Acting Sergeant.

### Ability Recognised

On February 1, 1914, he was transferred to the Import and Export Department as a Revenue Officer. His ability as a preventive officer was recognised by the fact that within seven years, on April 23, 1921, he was Acting Chief Preventive Officer, and a few months later, on October 1, 1921, was appointed Senior Preventive Officer, which post he held up to the time of his retirement.

The following year, on February 26, 1922, he was again Acting Chief Preventive Officer.

The last time he went on leave was on September 17, 1924, and brought a bride back with him on February 20, 1925. During her residence here, Mrs. Watt was closely identified with the Philharmonic Society, the members of which, and the many other friends she had made here, will regret that they will not have the pleasure of again welcoming her back in their midst. She had also been connected with the Victoria British School as a part-time teacher and was well liked by the children placed under her care.

### Great Popularity

Mr. George Watt, a "hale fellow well met," enjoyed great popularity during his residence in the Colony and was well liked by all who came in contact with him. He was a hard worker who was out at all hours of the day and night carrying out his duties, and his well-known figure in dungarees invariably struck terror into the hearts of his natural "enemies"—the opium smugglers and the keepers of unlicensed divans.

Although outwardly stern with those whom he was required by duty to bring to book, Mr. Watt was a big-hearted officer who never "laid it on thick" after he had got his "birds."

In this connection the writer well remembers a grim struggle for life which Mr. Watt had against two hefty Chinese in a Shaokwan divan in 1927. The uneven fight took place in a poorly-lighted cubicle, and there was no doubt that his opponents were bent on injuring him. In the fight a small oil lamp standing on a table was knocked over, and there was danger of a fire being started.

In spite of the ferocious attack made on him, Mr. Watt turned his attention to first putting out the fire and then continued the grim fight until he eventually overpowered both his men. He handcuffed them single-handed, and took them to the Police Station. Yet, when the men were charged before a Magistrate, Mr. Watt only mentioned that "there was a bit of a struggle" and did not disclose the full facts of the affray as he might well have done and so secured heavier sentences for the two men.

### Fond of Risks

He was for ever running such risks on account of his fondness for playing a "lone hand." In his raids, it being seldom that he wanted any assistance, although this was available. He never hesitated when duty called, and would not waste time getting assistance, but the "birds" might try.

## BIG MOTOR CAR TRANSACTION

### A.G.M.C. DEAL

#### TAKING OVER MAJORITY OF OPEL SHARES

#### "INDEPENDENT" BUT—

Berlin, Yesterday.  
 An agreement has been completed between the General Motors Company of America and the German Opel Car Company by which General Motors will take over the majority of the holding of the Opel shares at the purchase price of \$6,100,000.

The German Company will remain independent but will manufacture a certain number of American cars for sale in Europe.—Reuter.

[A United Press cable from Berlin on March 13 stated:—A turbulent reaction was registered in the German automobile industry to-day when it was reported that General Motors of the United States has arranged to purchase 76 per cent. of the German Opel Auto concern. The price was said to be \$30,000,000, constituting the largest single American investment in Germany since the War. This transaction was interpreted as a countermove against the Ford continental plans which were recently made known. Capacity of the Opel plant is 70,000 cars a year.]

## ROBBED A DOCTOR CHINESE WHO ADMITS GETS FOUR YEARS

### AMAH'S IDEA OF SILENCE

"Her idea of silence was to throw a heavy basin into a yard below and scream for all she was worth," said Mr. Somerset Fitzroy (Assistant Attorney-General) this morning about an amah who served in the household of a Chinese doctor (native practice) at No. 53, Jervois-street.

The doctor was robbed of \$185, a purse, and some keys on the morning of China New Year Eve (February 9). Several men obtained admission under pretence of seeking treatment and had then overpowered the doctor. The amah returned from outside and was also held up but did what Mr. Fitzroy said, and that caused the robbers to bolt.

### Bid for Liberty

One of them was caught, made a bid for liberty in Gough-street, and was recaptured. His name is Li Yuen.

He was the first prisoner to come up when the March Criminal Sessions—in which there are five cases on the calendar—opened at the Supreme Court before his Honour the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood), who passed sentence of four years hard labour. Li Yuen pleaded "guilty" to an indictment of "robbery by two or more."

## CHANNEL TUNNEL

### INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE APPOINTED

#### THE ECONOMIC QUESTION

London, March 16.  
 It is understood that the Premier has now settled the form of the committee which, by agreement with the leaders of the opposition parties, is to consider the economic side of the Channel tunnel project. The task is to be entrusted to a committee formed of men eminent in financial and commercial circles. The deliberations of the committee will therefore not be interrupted by political duties as would be the case if members of the House of Commons undertook the task. An announcement on the subject is expected shortly.—British Wireless Service.

The L.M.S. Railway Co. is to erect a memorial at Charfield (Gloucestershire) to the victims of the railway smash there in October last.

ed up within five minutes and then "George," as he is fondly called by all his friends, was off in his car to "pick up" the law breakers. The task of the four, the "kill" and the possibility of his being numbered never entered his head. He was content to "kill" and take the situation as he found it.

## INSURANCE RULES LEGISLATURE INTENDED IN CANTON

### DRIVING BUSINESS AWAY?

#### [From Our Correspondent]

Canton, Saturday.

The powers-that-be, in co-operation with insurance men, are now endeavouring to frame suitable insurance regulations, it having been found that those now in force are inadequate and unsuitable and have the tendency to check the expansion of the insurance business in this province.

Some of the present regulations, if strictly adhered to, would have the effect of driving the foreign insurance companies from the field.

The authorities affirm in this connection that they have no desire to kill the insurance business but that they have so far considered it advisable to enforce certain safeguards.

One of these "safeguards," it transpires, is the deposit of a stiff sum with the Treasury before any company is permitted to transact business in Chinese territory and this has caused the foreign companies which hitherto occupied premises in the city to remove into Shamoon where, under present conditions, they are untouchable.

### Professed Allegiance

The companies are all in a sound financial position and are able to put up the deposit at any time but what they do object to is to comply with regulations which have not been passed by the National Government but which the provincial authorities seek to enforce.

## FINE TO CLOUDY

This morning's weather report issued by the Royal Observatory stated:—

The anticyclone, which is central near Tokyo, has weakened slightly.

Moderate monsoon may be expected over the China Sea.

Forecast:—N.E. or variable winds, moderate; fine to cloudy.

force presumably for their own ends.

In Kwangtung, as in many other provinces, the local authorities, while professing allegiance to the National Government, very often act in defiance of the latter.

In Swatow, for example, the merchants have been mulcted heavily by the local authorities who have professed all along that they are under Canton and that what Canton says, consequently, goes.

### Healthy Sign

Unquestionably, the present insurance regulations need adjustment and it is a healthy sign that the authorities should have expressed the desire to co-operate with the insurance companies.

The day is passed when shady companies could set themselves up in any community and transact business without being shown up as to their real status, and the well-established corporations are always able to furnish satisfactory banking guarantees, so that the sooner the provincial authorities cause the removal of all regulations tending to kill business, the better it will be for all concerned.

### Currency Problems

In view of the rigid censorship of the Press and the consequent underground circulation of sensational reports by rumour-mongers and people with their own axes to grind, the notes of the Central Bank have had the tendency lately to depreciate in the public estimation.

Moreover, on account of the manipulations of exchange brokers, the various issues of silver coins have depreciated in rotation and now it is the turn of the newly-minted Sun Yat-sen 20-cent pieces to suffer unpopularity. In order to counteract all this, a conference has been held here between bankers and the authorities.

As a result of certain recommendations made at this conference, the authorities are taking steps to compel the acceptance of the Central Bank notes at par, as well as of the newly-minted 20-cent coins.

Defacing Prohibited  
 These latter were minted at the factory of the Government, and the possibility of their being defaced or altered in any way is strictly prohibited. It is said that the authorities are taking steps to prevent the circulation of defaced or altered coins.

## ROYAL WEDDING IN OSLO

### NORWAY'S PRINCE

#### TREMENDOUS RECEPTION TO DUKE & DUCHESS OF YORK

#### ICE AND FLOWERS

Oslo, Yesterday.  
 The streets were beflagged, garlanded, and lined with tremendous cheering crowds to welcome the Duke and Duchess of York for the wedding of Crown Prince Olaf and Princess Martha of Sweden on Thursday, at which the Duke of York will be best man.

The main thoroughfare along which the Duke and Duchess drove to the palace this morning will be a wonderful sight during the royal wedding festivities with its unique decorations and huge pillars of ice illuminated with gas.

The temperature of Oslo is so low that there is no fear of the ice not remaining intact throughout the three days' festivities.

There has been the utmost difficulty to obtain supplies of flowers, all of which have had to be imported and as the frozen seas hindered transport, the decorators were compelled to hire aeroplanes to get flowers.

### Labour Party's Attitude

The Labour Party, which has a majority in the Town Council and is the second strongest party in the Storting, has forsook the President of the Municipality and the Vice-President of the Storting (both of whom are Labour) accepting King Haakon's invitation to be his guests at the wedding, on the ground that acceptance would be equivalent to "kowtowing" to royalty.—Reuter.



Outside the palace of Prince Carl of Sweden, Crown Prince Olaf of Norway and his fiancée, the Princess Martha of Sweden, posed obligingly for the above photo, the first to be taken since their engagement was announced. The Princess Martha is a sister of the Princess Astrid, who recently married the Belgian Crown Prince.

that be as to their determination to put a good coinage on the market, the Mint here only turned out a meagre quantity of these new coins. When these Sun Yat-sen coins were first being minted, the public were warned not to deface them with chips. All the 20-cent coins of older vintage bear the chips of those exchange houses passing them over the counter and this is intended to indicate that the people who change the coins are willing to guarantee their goodness, but the fact of the matter is that in this province, whether chopped or not, all coins are looked upon with suspicion.

### In the Right Direction

Coins of the 18th and 19th years of the Republic are universally declined and now the newly-minted coins are given a wide berth. The authorities themselves are to blame in so far as the small-coin situation is concerned.

If they had taken steps to withdraw the depreciated coins gradually from the market, replacing them with the newly-minted ones, as originally promised, and if they had taken steps to compel the acceptance of all coins pending their eventual replacement, all this dishonesty on the part of exchange houses would not be possible. It is a pity in the right direction to compel the acceptance of the newly-minted Sun Yat-sen coins but it is a pity that the authorities are taking no steps to prevent the circulation of defaced or altered coins.

## NEW INDUSTRY PURE CANE MOLASSES COMPANY

### FIRST SUPPLY ARRIVES

There arrived here yesterday from Java the tanker "Athelmer," the first of the many vessels belonging to the British Molasses Company, Limited, and the United Molasses Co., Limited, of Great Britain, the largest dealers in and holders of molasses in the world. She brought 7,000 tons of molasses, which will be pumped into the tank installation, which has a capacity of 15,000 tons, which has been specially built in Castle Peak-road, in the New Territories, Sham Tseng, for the Pure Cane Molasses Co. (Hong Kong), the Managing Director of which, Mr. W. G. Robertson, is already stationed here.

This is a new industry for the New Territories. Our readers may have noticed that on the Castle Peak-road, at Sham Tseng, one of the biggest reclamation schemes is in progress, comprising wharves, piers, and stone jetties. There big steamers will be able to berth with ease, the deep-water level at the end of the wharves at low tide being 36 feet. The harbour will be well protected from heavy seas and winds.

Near the tank installation there will also be built, when the reclamation is completed, a distillery and an ice plant. It is expected that the erection of these will be finished in about 18 months from now. The total cost will be in the region of a million dollars.

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## NOW ABLE TO WALK UNASSISTED

### KING'S CONDITION

#### STRENGTH, VIGOUR & APPEARANCE IMPROVED

#### REASSURING BULLETIN

London, Yesterday.  
 Yesterday's bulletin regarding the King was the most reassuring statement yet made.

It said: "His Majesty is steadily, though slowly, regaining health. In strength, vigour and appearance the improvement is definite."

The bulletin was issued after the visit of Lord Dawson and was signed by Lord Dawson and Sir Stanley Hewitt.

It was stated, authoritatively, this evening that the King had passed a good day.

For the first time since his illness, His Majesty was able to walk unassisted for about fifty yards.

The weather was gloriously fine and the King remained in the gardens at Craigwall for an hour.—British Wireless Service.

## TRAM SHARE SCRIP

### ALLEGED CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD

#### "CHAN OLD ONE" ABSENT

Pun Pui (alias Pun Wan-nam) pleaded "guilty" and Chan Fook (alias Chan Shau-man) pleaded "not guilty" at the March Criminal Sessions this morning, before his Honour the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood) in the case concerning the alleged forgery of a scrip purporting to be for 500 shares in Hong Kong Tramways, Ltd.

There were four counts. Pun Pui admitted the third and fourth and the fourth was dropped.

His Lordship exercised meticulous care in explaining to Pun Pui what the third charge was and asked if he persisted in his plea. At first this prisoner said "I was encouraged by 'Chan Lo-yat' and another to do it." His next reply to the Judge was "I knew it (the scrip) was forged." After some hesitation, his third answer, given in a very low voice, was "I did intend to defraud."

### Three Counts

This prisoner was thereupon removed from the dock. In reply to his Lordship, Mr. Somerset Fitzroy (Assistant Attorney-General) said: "I see no reason to proceed against No. 2 (who admitted), any further." The case against Chan Fook was then opened on three counts, the fourth being dropped, as follows:—

- 1.—Conspiracy to commit an offence punishable by law.
- 2.—Conspiracy to defraud.
- 3.—Aiding and abetting—an accessory before the fact—in uttering a forged valuable security.

When the first count was interpreted, Chan Fook said:—"I did not do the forgery. 'Chan Lo-yat' and the Portuguese person did it."

Revenue Gets \$20.60

Mr. Fitzroy, addressing the jury, said that prisoner approached Mr. Ho Sik-hung, who was a broker in the office of Mr. A. A. Lopes, and that prisoner suggested to Mr. Ho that they might get rid of some forged share certificates.

The forgery was fairly good, Mr. Fitzroy continued, but the Police were kept informed and a buyer (through Mr. Lopes) was produced. The name on the scrip for 500 shares agreed with that on the register. Mr. Lopes made out the transfer deed, which was stamped, the Revenue thereby profiting by \$20.60. The price was \$10,250. The "Old One"

Arrangements were made for Pun Pui (who pleaded "guilty") to take the scrip to Mr. Lopes' office while Chan Fook waited outside in Ice House-street. A time was chosen, said Mr. Fitzroy, when Mr. Lopes would not be in his office "so that he would not be there to ask too many questions." At the critical moment the Police arrested the two prisoners.

Mr. Fitzroy also referred to the man who is mentioned as "Chan Lo-yat" (which means "Chan Old One"), and said that the Crown regretted he was not also in the dock. The case is proceeding.

Parnham (Surrey) magistrate have issued a distress warrant against Dr. Made Steps, of Heathbank, Hindhead, for non-payment of £24, payable for not complying with an order to supply bar chairs.

## MEXICAN BATTLE

### WHAT REBEL HEADQUARTERS NOW CLAIM

#### 800 FEDERALS CAPTURED

#### Torreon, Yesterday.

Rebel headquarters announce that a sanguinary battle took place at San Pedro, with a total of 200 Federals and Rebels killed and 800 Federals captured.

### War Materials From U.S.A.

#### Washington, Saturday.

Large quantities of war materials, including tear gas, arms and ammunition have been ordered by the Mexican Government from American manufacturers to use against the rebels.

The Mexican authorities desire to use tear gas rather than poison gas so as to minimise the loss of life.—Reuter's American Service.

Dr. J. H. H. parliamentary voters in the parish of Hendon N.W. 32,767 are women.







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The following unclaimed telegrams are lying in the E. E. Telegraph Co. Office, Hong Kong: Calkins Krenlin, from Foochow, March 16, from Bangkok.

S. LACK,  
Superintendent.

Hong Kong, 14th March, 1929.

## THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH CO. LTD. OF DENMARK.

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the office of the Great Northern Telegraph Company (Limited) of Denmark: Steelmaker, from Amoy. Eng Hög Lim, c/o Yuen Hung Lee, 11, Jervois Street, from Chicago, Ill. Chong Kong, from Shanghai. Lauskie, from Shanghai. S. L. Houton and Co., from Osaka.

E. V. JESSEN,  
Superintendent.

Hong Kong, 16th March, 1929.

## NOTICES.

### THE HONG KONG ELECTRIC CO. LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTIETH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING will be held at the Company's Office, P. & O. Building, on FRIDAY, 22nd March, 1929, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1928, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Register of Members of the Company will be closed from 11th March, 1929, to 22nd March, 1929, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
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Agents,  
Hong Kong, 1st March, 1929.

### THE HONG KONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SIXTIETH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the undersigned on TUESDAY, the 26th March, 1929, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1928.

The SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 26th March, 1929, both days inclusive.

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Hong Kong, 5th March, 1929.

## NOTICE.

### THE HONG KONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders will be held in the Office of the Company, 2, Queen's Building, Hong Kong, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th March, 1929, at Noon, for consideration of the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1928.

The SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 19th to the 27th March, 1929 (both days inclusive).  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
R. M. DYER,  
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 13th March, 1929.

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## STANDARD TIME.

Sunrise and Sunset in Hong Kong for March, 1929, (Standard time of the 120th Meridian, East of Greenwich), is as follows:—

| Mar. | a.m. | p.m. |
|------|------|------|
| 18   | 6.30 | 6.33 |
| 19   | 6.29 | 6.34 |
| 20   | 6.28 | 6.34 |
| 21   | 6.27 | 6.34 |
| 22   | 6.26 | 6.33 |
| 23   | 6.25 | 6.33 |
| 24   | 6.24 | 6.33 |
| 25   | 6.23 | 6.32 |
| 26   | 6.22 | 6.32 |
| 27   | 6.21 | 6.32 |
| 28   | 6.20 | 6.32 |
| 29   | 6.19 | 6.32 |
| 30   | 6.17 | 6.32 |

## TEST CRICKET

### AUSTRALIA'S WIN AT MELBOURNE

#### CAPTAINS INTERVIEWED

Melbourne, Saturday.

Australia beat England in the Fifth Test Match to-day by the five wickets after an uphill fight.

When the score was 283 (and 2 runs were needed to tie, 3 to win), J. S. Ryder, the Australian captain, after having led the losing side four consecutive times—made the winning hit with a boundary off Larwood.

At the conclusion the crowd swarmed on to the ground. Don Bradman, who scored 87, running like a hare, was the only player to reach the pavilion. The others were surrounded.

Jack Ryder was shouldered by the frantic crowd while thousands inspected the wicket.

The huge assembly in front of the dressing room cheered repeatedly. The scenes of enthusiasm continued until the victorious Australians made an appearance on the balcony of the main pavilion. The final scores were:—

|                  |     |
|------------------|-----|
| England          |     |
| 1st innings .... | 519 |
| 2nd innings .... | 257 |

|                  |     |
|------------------|-----|
| Australia        |     |
| 1st innings .... | 491 |

#### 2nd innings:—

|                            |    |
|----------------------------|----|
| W. A. Oldfield, b Hammond  | 48 |
| P. M. Hornbrook, b Hammond | 18 |
| W. M. Woodfull, b Hammond  | 35 |
| A. Jackson, b Geary        | 46 |
| A. F. Kippax, run out      | 28 |
| J. S. Ryder, not out       | 57 |
| D. Bradman, not out        | 87 |
| Extras                     | 18 |

Total (for 5 wkts.) .... 287

Fall of wickets:—1 for 51 runs (Hornbrook), 2 for 80 (Oldfield), 3 for 125 (Woodfull), 4 for 168 (Jackson), 5 for 204 (Kippax).  
A. Fairfax, R. M. Oxenham, C. V. Grimmett, T. Wall did not bat.

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

|         | O.   | M. | R. | W. |
|---------|------|----|----|----|
| Larwood | 32.1 | 5  | 85 | 0  |
| Tate    | 38   | 13 | 72 | 0  |
| White   | 18   | 8  | 28 | 0  |
| Geary   | 20   | 5  | 31 | 1  |
| Hammond | 26   | 8  | 53 | 3  |

#### The Play

Australia scored 114 runs to-day, the eighth day of the match, for the loss of Kippax's wicket. He was not out on Friday with Ryder. Ryder and Bradman then proceeded to get the runs.

There were 15,000 spectators when play resumed to-day. The weather was bright and breezy and the wicket hard. Great interest was shown. Spectators were admitted at half-price and they poured in.

The Englishmen were on their toes fighting to keep down runs and Duckworth, behind the stumps, was superb.

The 200 came when the innings had lasted 307 minutes.

Englishmen Surprised  
Then Kippax was run out—204 runs for 5 wickets. He went for a fourth run but Ryder did not respond. Both batsmen were at one end and Tate, the bowler, easily broke Kippax's wicket when the ball was returned to him.

Don Bradman then went in. When Ryder had 27, he met with the narrowest possible escape from a throw in by Leyland. The appeal for run out was not sustained and some of the Englishmen who were near by were surprised at the decision.

Then the gates of the ground were thrown open free.

When the lunch interval came Australia had 248 runs for 5 wickets, needing only 38 more for victory. Ryder's contribution was then 37 and Bradman's 22.

#### Runs Came Freely

After lunch there were 30,000 people present.  
The second ball of the first over he received after the interval, Ryder knocked to the slips. Hammond, fielding at second slip, moved to the right instead of towards the left and just touched the ball!

Runs came freely and Ryder reached 50 in 135 minutes after having played carefully on Friday and this morning.  
Ryder made the winning hit as described. He was in altogether for 189 minutes for his 57, which included 4 fours.  
Australia got her 287 runs in 385 minutes.

#### Captains interviewed

J. C. White of Somerset, who was captain in the match and vice-captain of the tour, interviewed by Reuter to-day:—  
"Australia's victory was very much deserved and we do not grudge it. It will do them good while no harm has been done to England; although it would have been nice to finish undefeated."  
J. S. Ryder:—I am highly delighted. I think Australia played the better all round game and I expect Australia to be successful in the future by these Tests and I expect Australia to be successful in the season in England in 1930. Too much praise cannot be given our men for their grit in sticking to their tasks in the final stages."

#### Result of the Series

First Test, Brisbane: England won by 875 runs, Scores:—

|           | 1st | 2nd  |
|-----------|-----|------|
| England   | 621 | 342* |
| Australia | 122 | 66   |

\* for 8 wickets, declared.

Second Test, Sydney: England won by eight wickets, Scores:—

|           | 1st | 2nd |
|-----------|-----|-----|
| England   | 253 | 337 |
| Australia | 636 | 16* |

\* for 2 wickets.

Third Test, Melbourne: England won by three wickets, Scores:—

|           | 1st | 2nd  |
|-----------|-----|------|
| England   | 397 | 351  |
| Australia | 417 | 332* |

\* for 7 wickets.

Fourth Test, Adelaide: England won by 12 runs, Scores:—

|           | 1st | 2nd |
|-----------|-----|-----|
| England   | 334 | 338 |
| Australia | 369 | 336 |

Fifth Test, Melbourne: Australia won by five wickets, Scores:—

|           | 1st | 2nd  |
|-----------|-----|------|
| England   | 519 | 257  |
| Australia | 491 | 287* |

\* for 5 wickets.

In all, 119 Test matches between Australia and England have been played, resulting:—

|            | WON BY |
|------------|--------|
| Eng-land   | 67     |
| Aus-tralia | 28     |
| Tied       | 2      |

In Australia .... 18 11 23 52

46 48 25 119

#### TETT AVERAGES

England's 14 Players—

Australia's 20

One of the sixteen men sent out by the M.C.C., England called upon fourteen to play in the Tests as follows:—

All five Tests:—Hobbs, Hammond, Jardine, Hendren, Tate, Larwood, White (captain in the Fifth), Duckworth.

1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Tests:—Chapman (captain), Sutcliffe.

2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Tests:—Geary.

1st Test:—Mead.

5th Test:—Tyldesley, Leyland.

#### Australia's Twenty

What with Gregory having to retire and Ponsford and Kelleway becoming casualties, Australia called upon twenty players to represent her in the series, as follows:—  
Played in five games:—Ryder, Woodfull, Kippax, Oldfield, Grimmett.

Played in four games:—Bradman, Hendry.

Played in three games:—Oxenham, Blackie.

Played in two games:—Jackson, a Beckett, V. Y. Richardson, Ponsford, Ironmonger.

Played in one game:—Gregory, Notthing, Kelleway, Fairfax, Wall, Hornbrook.

#### Outstanding Incidents

Many abnormal figures have been recorded in these marathon Tests and a number of records created. Among the outstanding incidents were:—

Record 3rd wicket partnership for England:—Hammond and Jardine, 262, Fourth Test, 2nd innings.

Record 8th wicket partnership for England:—Hendren and Larwood, 124, First Test, 1st innings.

Record 5th wicket partnership for Australia:—Bradman and Fairfax, 183, Fifth Test, 1st innings.

Record Innings:—636 runs, England, 1st Innings, Second Test.

Record Attendance:—63,000 on first day of Third Test at Melbourne. (Total for six days was 244,361).

Double Centuries:—Hammond's 251 and 200 in consecutive matches.

Two Centuries in one match:—Hammond's 119 not out and 177 in Fourth Test. (This feat has been previously performed by Bardsley and Sutcliffe).

Four Centuries in a series:—Hammond, equalling the record of Sutcliffe.

Record Aggregate in a series:—Hammond's 905.

Century Partnerships:—Hobbs and Sutcliffe took part in their ninth opening partnership of three figures in the Fourth Test.

#### Individual Centuries

FOR ENGLAND:—EIGHT.

Hammond (four): 251 (2nd), 200 (3rd), 119 not out and 177 (4th).

Hendren (one): 169 (1st).

Sutcliffe (one): 185 (3rd).

Hobbs (one): 142 (5th).

Leyland (one): 137 (5th)†

FOR AUSTRALIA:—NINE.

Woodfull (three): 111 (2nd), 107 (3rd), 102 (5th).

Bradman (two): 112 (3rd), 123 (5th).

Hendry (one): 112 (2nd).

Kippax (one): 100 (3rd).

Ryder (one): 112 (3rd).

Jackson (one): 164 (4th)†

† on first appearance in Test match.

\* denotes not out.

#### ENGLAND—Batting

|               | No. of Innings | Aggregate | Top Score | Not Out | Average |
|---------------|----------------|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|
| M. Leyland    | 2              | 190       | 137       | 1       | 190.00  |
| W. R. Hammond | 9              | 905       | 251       | 1       | 113.12  |
| E. Hendren    | 9              | 472       | 169       | 0       | 52.44   |
| H. Sutcliffe  | 7              | 855       | 185       | 0       | 50.71   |
| J. B. Hobbs   | 9              | 451       | 142       | 0       | 50.11   |
| D. R. Jardine | 9              | 341       | 98        | 1       | 42.62   |
| C. P. Mead    | 2              | 80        | 72        | 0       | 40.00   |
| E. Tyldesley  | 2              | 52        | 31        | 0       | 26.00   |
| A. F. Chapman | 7              | 165       | 50        | 0       | 23.57   |
| L. Larwood    | 8              | 173       | 70        | 0       | 21.62   |
| M. W. Tate    | 10             | 214       | 54        | 0       | 21.40   |
| J. C. White   | 8              | 70        | 29        | 4       | 17.50   |
| G. Duckworth  | 9              | 76        | 36*       | 4       | 15.20   |
| G. Geary      | 8              | 95        | 66        | 1       | 13.57   |

\* denotes not out.

#### ENGLAND—Bowling

|               | Overs | Maidens | Runs | Wickets | Average |
|---------------|-------|---------|------|---------|---------|
| G. Geary      | 240.3 | 70      | 477  | 19      | 25.10   |
| J. C. White   | 405.1 | 134     | 760  | 25      | 30.40   |
| H. Larwood    | 269.1 | 41      | 728  | 13      | 40.44   |
| M. W. Tate    | 371   | 122     | 693  | 17      | 40.76   |
| W. R. Hammond | 119   | 30      | 287  | 6       | 47.83   |
| M. Leyland    | 3     | 0       | 11   | 0       | —       |
| D. R. Jardine | 1     | 0       | 10   | 0       | —       |

#### AUSTRALIA—Batting

|            | No. of Innings | Aggregate | Top Score | Not Out | Average |
|------------|----------------|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|
| A. Jackson | 4              | 276       | 164       | 0       | 69.00   |
| D. Bradman | 8              | 468       | 123       | 1       | 66.85   |
| A. Fairfax | 1              | 65        | 65        | 0       | 65.00   |



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### SHIP MURDER

MYSTERY NOT SOLVED IN MANILA

S.S. "PRES. MCKINLEY" SAILS

The "Manila Tribune" of Saturday

reports:—

The murder of Allan McDaniel, as-

stant pursuer of the Dollar liner

"President McKinley," probably will

remain in the limbo of unsolved crimes

in the Philippines. Information secured

on good authority yesterday in-

dicates that the authorities concerned

have decided to drop the case tempo-

rarily.

The "President McKinley" sails to-

day on her return trip to the United

States, giving the investigation here

nothing positive in which to start legal

action, according to information from

the city fiscal's office yesterday. No

arrest of any member of the crew is

contemplated for the present, it was

said. Yesterday's plan to re-examine

Captain Caray of the "President Mc-

Kinley" was abandoned, since he had

already been investigated following

the discovery of the crime on board

the ship, it was explained.

City Fiscal Felix, however, appears

hopeful that eventually the murderer

will fall into the net of the law. The

disappearance of the principal suspect

who was a member of the ship's crew

in its previous trip to Manila, is ex-

pected to supply a solution to the mys-

tery. Fiscal Felix with emphasis de-

clared yesterday that he would not

consider that case dropped, nor the in-

vestigation closed.

### BRISTOL CHANNEL

ANALYSIS OF COAL TRADE RETURNS

An analysis of the figures respect-

ing Newport's trade last year gives

some interesting results and the fact

is even more marked when compar-

isons are made with previous years

and the trade returns of other ports

in the Bristol Channel.

Of the Bristol Channel foreign coal

exports Newport's share in 1928 was

17.4 per cent, as compared with 16.8

per cent. in 1927, and 15.55 per cent.

in 1913—a marked improvement,

which, if it had been accompanied by

an actual increase in the volume of

the exports would have meant a happy

condition of things at Newport. In

view of the often repeated statement

that Newport trade is being diverted

to Cardiff, it may be well to show

that the figures give no support to

this contention—indeed, would appear

to show that Newport is getting a

relatively larger share than formerly

of foreign coal shipments from the

two ports.

Cardiff got Newport

In 1913 ..... 80.5% 19.5%

" 1928 ..... 78.0% 22.0%

" 1927 ..... 78.0% 22.0%

" 1928 ..... 78.3% 21.7%

Taking 1913 foreign shipments as a

basis in each case Cardiff shipped 72

per cent. of her 1913 figures in 1927,

and 70 per cent. in 1928; Newport

shipped 80 per cent. in 1927 and 80

per cent. in 1928. On coasts steam-

ships, in a month of 1928 New-

port showed an increase of over 65,000

tons as compared with 1927, while

Cardiff's increase was only 17,000

tons. In iron imports, in 1927 New-

port took, for the first time for some

years, second place to Cardiff. In

1928 the position has been reversed

and Newport shows an approxi-

mate excess over Cardiff of more than

3,000 tons per week less than Cardiff

in 1927.

It is worthy of note also that New-

port's increase in imports of iron ore

is not paralleled in the United King-

dom as a whole, which shows a de-

cline of over half a million tons in

1928 in comparison with 1927. The

falling off in iron and steel imports

in Newport has been proportionately

greater than in other ports of the

country. In Newport the decline has

been nearly one-half; in the whole

country roughly one-third.

Newport's Lead

Taking the whole of the imports at

the various docks in South Wales,

Newport in 1928 dealt with 89 per

cent. of her 1913 quantity as com-

pared with Cardiff, 82 per cent., Barry

49 per cent., and Penarth 36 per cent.

Swansea and Port Talbot, however,

imported considerably more in 1928

than 1913, their percentages being 153

for Swansea and 137 for Port Talbot.

In coal exports, no proper compari-

son with Swansea is possible in 1913,

as separate records, apart from other

exports, were not kept by Swansea

Harbour Trust. Of the other ports,

Newport takes the first position with

80 per cent. of 1913, Port Talbot 76

per cent., Barry 72 per cent., Cardiff

65 per cent., and Penarth 42 per cent.

In total exports Newport again

takes the lead with 82 per cent. of

1913, Swansea 81 per cent., Barry 71

per cent., Port Talbot 68 per cent.,

Cardiff 64 per cent., Penarth 42 per

cent. Taking imports and exports to-

gether, Swansea (owing to her large

increase in imports) takes precedence

with 92 per cent., Newport follows

with 83 per cent., and other figures

are Port Talbot 74 per cent., Barry

70 per cent., Cardiff 67 per cent.,

Penarth 42 per cent.

It will be seen, therefore, that it

is a general uplifting of South Wales

trade which is required, as Newport

has increased her share of the avail-

able export trade as compared with

1913 more than did Swansea, Barry,

Cardiff, Penarth, and Port Talbot,

while in imports she was ahead in

percentage increase of Cardiff,

Penarth and Barry, and was surpas-

sed only by Swansea and Port Talbot.

In 1927 practically the whole of the

reduction in Newport's exports of

coal, as compared with 1913, is ac-

counted for by the decline in 200,000

tons to France and of 900,000 tons to

Italy. The decline in Newport's im-

port trade calls for attention. It can-

not be too strongly urged that a de-

velopment in import trade is bound

materially to help in our export trade.

Vessels coming here to discharge

naturally prefer an outward cargo

from the same port. It is satisfac-

tory to see that the Harbour Commis-

sion are taking steps to investigate

the causes of the decline of certain

of our imports and exports, and the

report of the committee will be awaited

with interest.—"Journal of Com-

merce."

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withstanding the fact that, at the

hearing before the House Committee

which reported the measure, it was

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| *MIRZAPUR | 6,715  | 16th Apr.            | Straits, Colombo & Bombay.                       |
| KARMA     | 9,128  | 20th Apr.            | Marselles & London.                              |
| *ALIPORE  | 5,223  | 24th Apr.            | Straits, Colombo & Bombay.                       |
| MANTUA    | 10,046 | 27th Apr.            | Bombay, Marselles & London.                      |
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| KARMA       | 9,128  | 22nd Mar. | Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama. |
| *ALIPORE    | 5,223  | 27th Mar. | Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama. |
| *LAHORE     | 6,252  | 29th Mar. | Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama. |
| MANTUA      | 10,046 | 29th Mar. | Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama. |
| TILAWA      | 10,006 | 29th Mar. | Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.        |
| *KIDDERPORE | 5,334  | 30th Mar. | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.           |
| TAKLIWA     | 7,936  | 7th Apr.  | Amoy, Moji, Kobe, Yama & Osaka.  |
| *JEYPORE    | 5,318  | 11th Apr. | Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama. |
| KALYAN      | 9,144  | 12th Apr. | Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama. |
| TAKADA      | 6,949  | 13th Apr. | Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.        |
| ARAFURA     | 10,046 | 16th Apr. | Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.    |
| TALAMBA     | 8,018  | 24th Apr. | Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.        |
| MOREA       | 10,953 | 26th Apr. | Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama. |
| TANDA       | 6,956  | 7th May   | Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.    |
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### EXCHANGE OF VISITS

London, March 16.  
The new cruiser "London" is on a special visit to the Thames to enable Londoners to view her before she leaves for the Mediterranean, and the Lord Mayor of London will pay an official visit to the cruiser during the day. The hospitality on His Majesty's ship will be reciprocated on Monday, when arrangements have been made for a reception at the Guildhall of 20 officers and 200 ratings from the ship. A piece of plate will then be presented by the Lord Mayor to the captain. The new cruiser is the seventh distinguished type of warship which has borne the name London.—British Wireless Service.

## GREEK SHIPPING

SLIGHT INCREASE IN 1928

Last year was a fairly favourable one for the Greek mercantile marine. The cargo fleet found a satisfactory amount of employment and realised good profits. Also some cargo ships of large tonnage were purchased during the year. On the other hand the situation of the passenger fleet was not so good. This, it is stated, was due to the lack of any serious organisation among the owners of such vessels in spite of the repeated efforts of the Mercantile Marine Department to bring about an understanding among the navigation companies it was found impossible to unite them in a single organisation.

On January 1, 1928, the Greek mercantile marine consisted of 534 steamers of 1,111,050 tons, and 728 sailing ships of 58,684 tons. By January 1, 1929, it had increased to 532 steamers of 1,226,000 tons, and 723 sailing ships of 58,638 tons. The steamer fleet was composed as follows:—

|                    | Jan. 1, 1928. | Jan. 1, 1929. |
|--------------------|---------------|---------------|
| No. Tonnage.       | No. Tonnage.  |               |
| Cargo ships        | 371 1,010,269 | 404 1,190,055 |
| Passenger steamers | 119 75,625    | 115 76,328    |
| "Trans-Atlantic"   | 3 23,725      | 3 23,725      |

504 1,111,050 532 1,226,000  
Thus in the course of 1928 there was an increase in the steam tonnage of the Greek mercantile marine of 28 vessels, representing altogether 177,939 tons, or about 5.8 per cent in number and 17 per cent in tonnage. The average size of the newly purchased ships was 6,450 tons.

In addition to the above there were at the beginning of this year a small number of recently purchased ships which had not then been registered and were navigating abroad with provisional papers in order to carry out engagements entered into before their change of ownership.

The proportion of vessels laid up during the year owing either to being under repair, shortage of freight or other causes was in the neighbourhood of 9 per cent. The proportion was larger in the first than in the second half of the year, as during the last few months of 1928 there was an appreciable improvement in freight rates.

## CONSIGNEES.

### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE BEN LINE STEAMERS, LIMITED.

From DUNKIRK, LONDON & STRAITS.

The Steamship, "BENMACDHUI"

Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

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All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 4th April, 1929, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th inst. at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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Hong Kong, 14th March, 1929.

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No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th inst. will be subject to rent.

All claims against the vessel must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 30th inst. or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th inst. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

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| Tian via S'ow & S'hai | CHAKSANG    | Sun. 24th Mar. at 7 a.m.  |
| Tian via S'ow & S'hai | KWONGSANG   | Wed. 27th Mar. at 7 a.m.  |
| Tian via S'ow & S'hai | KWANGSANG   | Sun. 31st Mar. at 7 a.m.  |
| Kobe via Amoy, Moji   | POOKSANG    | Tues. 19th Mar. at 7 a.m. |
| Kobe                  | YUENSANG    | Sat. 23rd Mar. at 7 a.m.  |
| Straits & Calcutta    | KUTSANG     | Sat. 23rd Mar. at 3 p.m.  |
| Straits & Calcutta    | SUISANG     | Mon. 1st Apr. at 3 p.m.   |
| Sandakan              | MAUSANG     | Fri. 5th Apr. at 3 p.m.   |
| Tientsin              | HINGSANG    | Sat. 13th Apr. at 3 p.m.  |
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|                                                                                              |                               |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| LONDON, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM & ANTWERP—Via Singapore                                           | Thursday, 11th April.         |
| ALASKA MARU (Calls at Seoul & Port Said)                                                     | Thursday, 11th April.         |
| RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS & BUENOS AIRES—Via Singapore, Singapore, Colombo, Durban & Cape Town. | Tuesday, 19th March.          |
| HAWAII MARU                                                                                  | Tuesday, 23rd April.          |
| LAPLATA MARU                                                                                 | Tuesday, 23rd April.          |
| BOMBAY—Via Singapore & Colombo.                                                              | Wednesday, 20th March.        |
| INDUS MARU (Calls at Penang & Karachi)                                                       | Wednesday, 20th March.        |
| DURBAN, LOURENCO MARQUES, BEIRA, DAR-ES-SALAAM, ZANZIBAR & MOMBASA—Via Singapore & Colombo.  | Saturday, 30th March.         |
| CANADA MARU (Calls at Saigon)                                                                | Saturday, 30th March.         |
| CALCUTTA—Via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.                                                    | Monday, 18th March.           |
| CELEBES MARU (Calls at Belawan Deli)                                                         | Monday, 18th March.           |
| VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA & VANCOUVER—Via Japan Ports From Shanghai.                         | Saturday, 23rd March.         |
| PARIS MARU                                                                                   | Saturday, 23rd March.         |
| MELBOURNE—Via Manila, Brisbane & Sydney.                                                     | Saturday, 6th April.          |
| BURMA MARU                                                                                   | Saturday, 6th April.          |
| BANGKOK—Via Saigon.                                                                          | Saturday, 6th April.          |
| HAIPHONG—Via Hanoi & Pakhol.                                                                 | Saturday, 6th April.          |
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| TAKAO—Via SWATOW & AMOY.                                                                     | Thursday, 21st March, 10 a.m. |
| TAKAO & KEELUNG                                                                              | Thursday, 21st March, 10 a.m. |
| SOURABAYA MARU                                                                               | Thursday, 4th April.          |

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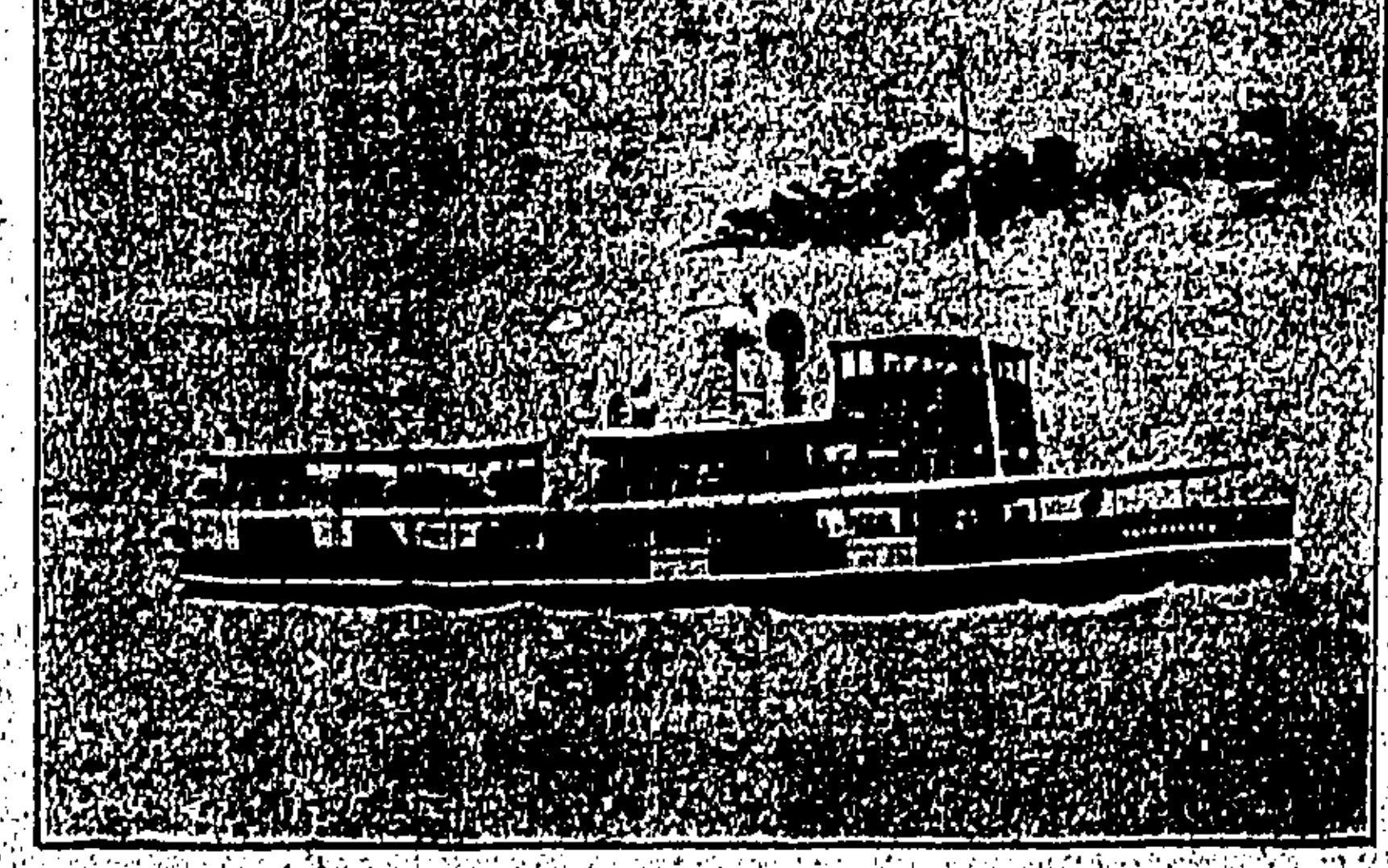
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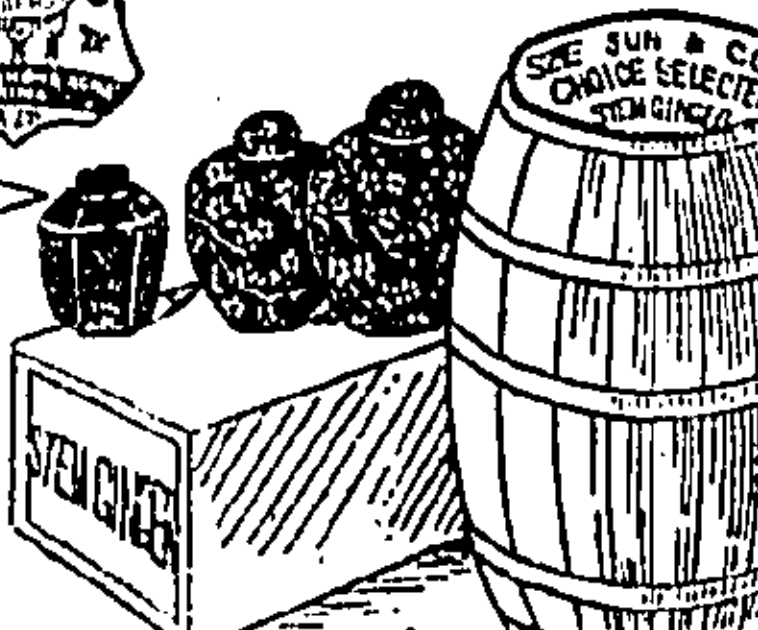


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Hong Kong, Monday, Mar. 18, 1929.

**IS SPAIN'S DICTATORSHIP  
CRUMBLING?**All is not well with Spain. Is  
the dictatorship set up by General  
Primo di Rivera tottering to its  
fall? It has to-day certainly more  
serious opposition than it  
has ever had and the opposition is  
of a more directly vehement and  
vigorous character. One of the  
latest telegrams from Madrid  
states that the disorders that  
have prevailed during the past  
few days, with more or less  
steadiness, are becoming worse.  
They were at first confined to cer-  
tain students in the capital pri-  
marily displeased, it was believed,  
with the Government's or more  
accurately with the Dictator's de-  
cision regarding the artillery  
cadets, following upon the Artil-  
lery's recent rebellious action in  
the province of Ciudad Real.  
But the latest news shows that  
the disorders have spread else-  
where in Spain, and that in  
Granada they have been of a de-  
cidedly political character rather  
merely a spasmodic outbreak by  
irresponsible students. The Dic-  
tator's effigy was torn to pieces,  
which at least indicates the  
strength of the feeling and opo-position against General di  
Rivera.The Madrid Cabinet, which to  
all appearance, is merely the tool  
of Dictator di Rivera, does not  
intend to become panicky regard-  
ing the outbreak, which, rightly  
or wrongly, they persist in attri-  
buting almost wholly to disgrun-  
tled students in Madrid, in spite  
of evidence to the contrary, which  
shows that the upheaval is at least  
partly political, is no longer exclu-  
sively confined to students and is  
directed at overthrowing the  
Dictatorship. The Cabinet an-  
nounces that those students par-  
ticipating and coming within the  
reach of the authorities will be  
sent to rigorous imprisonment and  
that the fathers of participating  
students under age will be heavily  
fined.It is very doubtful if such mea-  
sures will prove efficacious. It  
will, of course, largely depend  
upon how strong a hold and how  
widespread the opposition to the  
Dictator really is, for if it spreads  
much further it will be hardly  
possible for General Rivera to  
continue in office. He certainly  
will not be able to act as he has  
been acting for some considerable  
time past, as it is unlikely that  
he can continue to defy not only  
many of the leading men of the  
country but the Sovereign him-  
self. Ostensibly, friendship con-  
tinues between King Alfonso and  
General di Rivera, but it is plain  
that it is not likely to be durable.  
There can be no doubt, on the  
other hand, that the Dictator is  
regarded as a powerful force by  
those whom he has put in nominal  
power, and much will depend upon  
their attitude during the next  
few months as to whether Spain's  
dictatorship, at present appar-  
ently crumbling, will totter to its  
ultimate fall."Science is destined to play an  
important part in the reconstruction  
of theology," said Rabbi  
Epelov at the annual convention  
of American rabbis. — "Chicago  
Tribune."Mr. Joseph Ross, a prominent  
attorney of Manila, and his wife  
arrived in Hong Kong by the s.s.  
"President McKinley," as did  
Madame Galli Curci, the operatic  
star, and Capt. Glencross, R.N.,  
and family.On Saturday the Hon. Comdr.  
G. F. Hole, R.N., (retired) im-  
posed a fine of \$10, or ten days'  
jail on a Chinese named Wong  
Kee, described as a ship runner,  
for unlawfully boarding the s.s.  
"President Jefferson" without the  
permission of the master or officer  
on duty.Mrs. Alma N. Anderson, a  
novelist, arrived from Manila by  
the s.s. "President McKinley," en-  
route to Seattle. Mrs. Anderson,  
who writes under the name of  
Alma Newton, has been touring  
the Orient in search of material,  
accompanied by her son, Mr.  
Newton Anderson, and niece,  
Miss Juanita Lablanc.The temperature this forenoon  
at 10.30 was 65 degrees as com-  
pared with 78 degrees yesterday  
at 2.30 p.m.Over the week-end only four  
cases of small-pox were notified  
and one case of enteric fever. All  
were Chinese.Mrs. Walter Le Count sailed  
from Manila on Friday for Hong  
Kong where she will remain dur-  
ing the Manila hot season.Mr. and Mrs. E. Glen Hoffmann  
and their daughter left Manila on  
Friday on the "Empress of Asia"  
for Hong Kong. They are taking  
a six months' vacation, going  
home by way of Europe.Passengers arriving on the  
"Saarbrücken" included Mr.  
Choy Wal-chuen, Mr. Choy Wai-  
tong, Mrs. Marie Dallson, Mr.  
John Dallson, Mr. Jose de Garcia,  
John Wih. Rohnstock, Mr. Henry  
Smith, Mrs. Lina de Garcia and  
Miss Gretel Strauss.At to-morrow's meeting of the  
Sanitary Board a letter will be  
read from the Government rela-  
tive to the appointment of Dr.  
W. V. M. Koch and Mr. Wong  
Kwong-tin to be members for a  
further term of three years.Passengers leaving for Hong  
Kong on the P. and O. s.s. "Khiva" on  
Saturday included Mr. J. R.  
Evans, Mr. and Mrs. H. M.  
Graham, Mr. and Mrs. W. J.  
Graham, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Kelly,  
Mr. M. G. O'Connor, and Mr. and  
Mrs. T. G. Weall.One hundred thousand pesos  
worth of property went up in  
smoke at 2.30 a.m. last Wednes-  
day when the Veloso building on  
Rosario and San Vicente streets,  
Manila, was burned by fire of un-  
known origin. Eleven shops and  
dwellings owned by eight Chinese  
concerns suffered great losses.A surprise was sprung on those  
who attended the concert in aid of  
the Women's Hostel at the  
University Great Hall on Satur-  
day night when two dainty water-  
colour etchings were put up to  
auction at the suggestion of the  
Vice-Chancellor, Mr. W. W.  
Hornell. The bidding proved  
very keen, and eventually the  
paintings were knocked down to  
Mr. Chan Lim-pak for \$110.Ho Yeung-shing, manager of  
the Kam Wah goldsmith's shop,  
No. 928, Shanghai-street, Yau-  
matti, in a report to the police  
yesterday, alleged that on March  
9 he entrusted a foki named Sui  
Sang with 12 American gold coins  
worth \$86.40, a bracelet with six  
gold coins worth \$70, a gold chain  
worth \$15.50 and 88 mace of gold  
worth \$80 to be melted down and  
made into bangles, and the foki  
absconded with the property.Mr. and Mrs. Camilo Osias, the  
Resident Commissioner of the  
Philippine Islands arrived by the  
s.s. "President McKinley" en-  
route to Washington. With Mr.  
Osias are his three sons and two  
daughters, two secretaries, also a  
niece, Miss Abellara, and cousins,  
Mr. M. and Miss E. Mina. Mrs.  
Osias's cousin, Miss M. Cuarema,  
is also in the party, which also in-  
cludes Mr. and Mrs. Manuel  
Roxas, speaker of the House of  
Representatives, accompanied by  
his secretary (Mr. Jose Fernan-  
dez) and his nieces, Misses Picaso  
and Guevara; Mr. and Mrs.  
Rafael P. Alunan, Secretary of  
the Department of Agriculture and  
Natural Resources, and daughter,  
Miss Lourdes.**THE KUOMINTANG****POINTS RAISED AT THIRD  
CONGRESS**Nanking, Yesterday.  
The Secretariat of the third  
Kuomintang Congress has been  
very busy drawing up the agenda,  
which is likely to include the  
question of adhesion to the  
League of Nations and also whe-  
ther radio shall be under the con-  
trol of the Ministry of Communi-  
cations or the Ministry of Recon-  
struction.It is believed that a proposal is  
being brought up to increase the  
Central Executive Committee  
from 36 to 54 members, while  
amendments may be made to the  
constitution of the Kuomintang.  
It is stated that more than 800  
proposals have been sent in to  
the Secretariat, of which 200 are  
in connection with party affairs  
and the remainder are political,  
military, educational and over-  
seas.—Reuter.**ALLEGED SWINDLER**Rumours of the arrest of  
Joseph L. Wilson, master mind  
in the \$200,000 swindle in Macao,  
were much in the air in Manila  
on Friday at the quartermaster's  
Port Area, where Wilson's father  
is working.  
The reports were to the effect  
that Wilson was enticed to leave  
the city and in some lonely place  
was put under arrest.**WEDDING TO-DAY****CEREMONY IN ST. JOHN'S  
CATHEDRAL****PATEY—GEORGE**St. John's Cathedral was the  
scene of a pretty wedding this  
afternoon when Miss Florence  
Elizabeth George, eldest daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. A. George, of the  
Royal Naval Yard, became the  
bride of Mr. Walter Bruce Patey,  
second son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S.  
Patey of Burnham-on-Sea,  
Somersetshire, England. He is  
Chief Officer of the Douglas s.s.  
"Hai Ning."The Dean of the Cathedral, the  
Very Rev. A. Swann, officiated,  
and there was a large attendance  
of friends.The Misses Maude, Winnie and  
Peggy George (sisters of the  
bride) were the bridesmaids.The bride's dress was a beauti-  
ful creation of white satin trim-  
med with lace and orange blos-  
soms, with satin train and a long  
embroidered veil surmounted by  
a wreath of orange blossoms. Her  
bouquet was a sheaf of lilies.The elder bridesmaid's dress  
was of mauve, frilled georgette  
with crinoline hat and silver  
slippers, whilst the other two, who  
were similarly attired in pink  
georgette, wore caps of lace and  
silver shoes. They all carried  
posies of violets.Mr. A. George gave his daugh-  
ter away, whilst Mr. G. H. Bick-  
ford, a brother officer of the bride-  
groom, discharged the duties of  
best man.Mrs. A. George (the bride's  
mother) wore a dress of brown  
and fawn crepe-de-Chino, with  
hat to match.A reception was held at Lane,  
Crawford's Restaurant after the  
ceremony, and the toast of the  
bride and bridegroom was en-  
thusiastically honoured by the  
many guests present.Following the reception, the  
happy couple motored to Repulse  
Bay where they are staying until  
Wednesday when they sail for  
England via Canada on the R.M.S.  
"Empress of Asia."The bride's going-away dress  
will be of green and fawn silk,  
with a velvet hat and shoes to  
match.**LEAF—DAVID****Jewish Ceremony at the  
Synagogue**At the "Ohel Leah" Jewish  
Synagogue, Robinson-road, yester-  
day, the wedding took place of  
Miss Regina David, of Hong Kong  
and Mr. Nathan Leaf, a private in  
the King's Own Scottish Border-  
ers.The ceremony was performed  
by Rabbi Mr. G. Elias in the pre-  
sence of a large gathering of the  
friends of both parties, including  
Sir Elly Kadoorie.The bride, who was given away  
by Mr. David S. Gubbay, was  
charmingly attired in a chic gown  
and veil made by "Eve," of China-  
building, and carried a bouquet of  
white roses.She was attended by the  
Misses Lily Elias and Mary  
Crossan, who wore dresses of pink  
silk with white tulle frills. Their  
bouquets were of sweet peas.The duties of best man were  
carried out by Corporal A. Law-  
son.After the ceremony, a reception  
was held at the Jewish Recreation  
Club, where the usual toasts were  
enthusiastically honoured. The  
Band of the K.O.S.B. rendered  
selections. On hearing that the  
bridal couple were not leaving  
until to-day Sir Elly Kadoorie  
kindly arranged accommodation for  
them at the Peninsula Hotel.**INDIAN NUPTIALS****Bridegroom's Gift from the  
I.R.C.**On Saturday a wedding of con-  
siderable interest to the local  
Indian community was solemn-  
ised.The parties were Miss Sakeena  
Cassumbhoy, youngest daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cassumbhoy  
of No. 5, Sharp-street East, and  
Mr. Omar Ismail, of the staff of  
the National City Bank of New  
York.The ceremony, which was in  
accordance with the rites of  
Islam, was conducted by the Imam  
of the Hong Kong Mosque.At the subsequent reception  
Mr. A. el Arculli, President of the  
Indian Recreation Club, presented  
Mr. Ismail with a silver flower  
bowl which was subscribed for as  
a wedding present by the bride-  
groom's fellow members of the  
Club.Mr. Arculli, on behalf of him-  
self and the members of the Club,  
wished Mr. Ismail and his bride  
good fortune, long life, and a  
happy union.Mr. Ismail replied, thanking  
Mr. Arculli and his club-mates for  
their good wishes and the beauti-  
ful gift which he and his wife  
would always treasure. The  
silver bowl was sure, would always  
remind him of happy associations  
(Continued at foot of next column.)**NAVAL SUICIDE****FUNERAL OF A "HERMES"  
MARINE****SHOT THROUGH THE HEART**Service honours were accorded  
Marine William H. Macdonald,  
R.M.S. of the aircraft carrier,  
H.M.S. "Hermes," at the Protest-  
ant Cemetery, Happy Valley, yester-  
day. Following his death on  
Saturday from a rifle shot  
through the heart.He went off watch on Saturday  
at 4 p.m. and proceeded below  
deck where he ended his life. He  
is known to have been very retir-  
ing. In his 15 months' service on  
"Hermes" on the China Station,  
he went ashore only once on  
leisure, at Shanghai, and seldom  
mingled with his shipmates. He  
was not married.The Rev. T. A. Giles officiated  
at the funeral service. Three  
volleys were fired by a party of  
Royal Marines from the "Hermes"  
and a bugler sounded the "Last  
Post." The coffin, in the proces-  
sion from the Naval Hospital, was  
carried on a gun carriage, draped  
with the Union Flag, and drawn  
by Royal Marines from H.M.S.  
"Suffolk."Among the officers who attend-  
ed were Commander R. Rams-  
botham, Lt.-Comdr. W. G.  
Camidge, and Lt. Walker. Other  
ranks included detachments of  
Petty Officers and men from the  
R.M., Royal Navy, and Royal Air  
Force.**OPERA SINGER****MADAME GALLI-CURCI BACK  
IN COLONY**Madame Galli-Curci, the famous  
opera singer, arrived back in the  
Colony by the steamer "President  
McKinley" from Manila after the  
greatest triumph that has fallen  
to the lot of any vocalist in the  
Far East. Thousands were re-  
fused admission in Manila, houses  
being bought days before her con-  
cert.Madame Galli-Curci will give  
only one concert in Hong Kong—  
at the Queen's Theatre on Monday  
next—as she has still numerous  
engagements in the Far East and  
these must fit in with her forth-  
coming tour of the American  
cities.The Magic of Her Art  
In a lengthy critique of her con-  
cert in Manila the "Tribune" says  
in part:—"In the treasure-trove of a  
famous diva there will always be  
kept, with the fragrance of laven-  
der, the memory of a night of  
triumph, the picture of a theatre  
crowded as it never was crowded  
before, with a people held spell-  
bound by the magic of her art.  
For Madame Galli-Curci, in her  
farewell concert last night at  
the Grand Opera House, was ap-  
plauded to the echo and was com-  
pelled to give a series of encores  
by a public enraptured by the  
consummate artist, whose song  
"on its mighty pinions took every  
living soul, and lifted it gently to  
heaven.""To write of last night's con-  
cert is to write in superlatives.  
The unseen hand that in her pre-  
vious concerts seemed to have  
been holding her back that she  
may not give of herself entirely to  
Manila, was no longer there. It  
had vanished from the very start  
when she appeared on the stage  
and she was greeted with a thun-  
derous applause. It was evident  
that the welcome established a  
contact between singer and hear-  
ers, and when the first notes of  
"Se tu mami" of Pergolesi were  
heard, Galli-Curci at her best in  
the Metropolitan of New York  
stood revealed in all her glory as  
a consecrated artiste, holding no-  
thing and giving all."**KWANGSI GOVERNOR****GENERAL WONG SHU-HUNG  
IN HONG KONG**Among a large party of Nation-  
alist officials and their wives to  
arrive in Hong Kong from Canton  
late on Saturday night were Gen-  
eral Wong Shu-hung (chairman of  
the Kwangsi Provincial Govern-  
ment and one of the "big  
four" of the Kwangsi faction) and  
General Chan Hing-wan (com-  
mander of the Boxc Tigris  
Forces).General Wong and his asso-  
ciates have come down to visit  
General Chan Ming-shu (Chair-  
man of the Kwangtung Provincial  
Government) and Mrs. Chan



## SHANGHAI TRAGEDY

INQUEST ON DEATH OF TWO  
ENGLISH CHILDREN

SEQUEL TO COLLISION

The inquest on the two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gabbott who were killed in an accident between their perambulator and a motor lorry and trailer belonging to the French Municipal Council on the morning of February 26 was concluded last week. No further evidence was taken and the Registrar, Mr. A. J. Martin, sitting as coroner, returned the following verdict:—

"I find that Margaret Evelyn Demery Gabbott and Barbara Elizabeth Gabbott died on February 26, 1929, as the result of injuries received when the trailer of a garbage lorry belonging to the French Municipal Council collided with a baby carriage in which they were being conveyed along Rue Lafayette. I am satisfied from the evidence given that the lorry was not proceeding at an excessive speed and that the accident occurred owing to the chauffeur's not allowing enough room when overtaking the baby carriage."

"I am of the opinion that the chauffeur's error of judgment was partly caused by the construction of the lorry and trailer. The wheelbase of the tractor and trailer becomes progressively wider from front to rear, the increase in width of the base of the rear wheels of the trailer as compared with the front wheels of the tractor being over 13 per cent. and the increase in width of the body of the trailer being over 11 per cent."

During the inquest the French police have been represented by Insp. Boris Yakovlev of the Traffic Department, and Mr. R. F. C. Master and M. A. du Pac de Marsolles have been watching on behalf of the parents.

## RETURN TO JUDAISM

HUNGARIAN JEWS WHO  
CHANGED FAITH

Budapest, March 10.

Thousands of Jews who sought refuge in Christianity during the anti-Semitic storm that swept Hungary in 1919 are returning to their former faith.

When Admiral Horthy's white army marched into Budapest and destroyed the red peril it was feared a sanguinary programme would result. Public resentment against the Communistic reign of terror centred on the Jews and thousands of them applied for baptism as a measure of safety. Official records indicate that there are few Jews in Hungary to-day who did not change their names temporarily.

## MENINGITIS

RIGID PHYSICAL TEST  
URGED IN SEATTLE

Seattle, March 14.

The Central Labour Council adopted a resolution to-night supporting the city health department and condemning the practice of allowing Filipinos, Hawaiians and Orientals to land in Seattle without undergoing a rigid physical examination as a means of preventing the spread of meningitis.

The resolution was another of many demands that precautionary measures be taken to prevent an epidemic since it was discovered that a number of newly arrived Filipino immigrants were afflicted with meningitis.—Associated Press.

## GIRL'S SUICIDE

DEPRESSED OVER INABILITY  
TO GET WORK

The Singapore Coroner (Mr. F. G. Bourne) held an inquiry last week into the death of Miss Clara Sanderson, 24-year-old Eurasian girl who died at the General Hospital after drinking an antiseptic fluid at her home in Orchard-road.

Medical evidence was given that death was due to acute poisoning.

The Coroner found that Miss Clara Sanderson was depressed over her inability to get work and that she committed suicide while temporarily of unsound mind.

## "PAT" MALONE

DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN  
THEATRICAL PRODUCER

Mr. J. A. E. ("Pat") Malone, the theatrical manager, has died in London from pneumonia, following influenza. He was a big, strong, likeable man, who did not look his 70 years of age. He was a medical student at Edinburgh University and then in London, but gave up medicine for the stage.

For George Edwards he produced many plays, including "The Gehly," "San Toy," "The Doctor," and "The Merry Widow."

## KING'S PHYSICIANS

PEERAGE FOR SIR HUGH  
RIGBY?

OTHER PROBABILITIES

London, March 3.

High honours are expected to be conferred by King George on the chief of the eleven doctors who attended him night and day through the long months of his grave illness.

In Buckingham Palace, a Peerage is spoken of for Sir Hugh Rigby, the brilliant surgeon who performed the long operation on His Majesty's lung to remove the abscess which endangered the monarch's life; while Lord Dawson of Penn, the King's senior surgeon, may become a Viscount. Proprietary honours for Sir Stanley Hawett, the Royal physician in residence, and the eight other medical men are talked of.

It will be interesting to note what form of acknowledgement is made to 29-year-old Professor Dodds, who made only one visit to the Palace for the purpose of administering calcium to strengthen the King's blood. Although so young, Professor Dodds already holds scores of medical honours and is Professor of Biochemistry at the University of London. His part in the battle to save the King's life was a most important one.

The six nurses who attended at the bedside will likewise receive some form of acknowledgement, probably at the hands of the Queen.

It is recalled that after the operation for appendicitis performed on King Edward VII shortly after he ascended the Throne, the surgeon who wielded the knife, Fredrick Treves, was made a baronet.

—United Press.

## BANNER AIR YEAR

BIG EVENTS AT HOME  
ANNOUNCED

London, March 10.

British aviation enthusiasts expect 1929 to be a year of great events and achievements in John Bull's striving for conquest in the air.

Primary interest and importance centres around the proposed launching and trial flights of two monster airships, both larger than have ever been built before. Commander Charles D. Burney's dirigible, the R.100, is expected to soar into the air some time in the spring. Its promoters plan after test flights to take the huge craft across the Atlantic to America and back to England.

The Government-built "blimp," the R.101, sister to the Burney ship, will be launched later this year. It will make flights to Egypt, India, South Africa and Australia, and thus to establish new aeronautic history. The dirigibles will have accommodation for 100 passengers each.

Britain, as winner of the latest competition in this event, is to have the Schneider Cup races, the greatest of international speed contests, this year. This thrilling spectacle will be held over the Solent in August or September.

## P. I. LEPERS

DRIVE FOR FUNDS ON  
MAY 1

New York, March 11.

Trustees of the Leonard Wood Memorial for the Eradication of Leprosy to-day announced that May 1 has been selected as "Philippine Day" which every community in the United States will be asked to observe.

This holiday falls on the anniversary of the battle of Manila bay, the trustees pointed out.

It was said that the trustees hope to complete their \$2,000,000 fund for the eradication of leprosy by May 1.

If funds are available, the trustees hope to wipe out leprosy from the Philippines in 10 years by use of the chaulmoogra oil derivative treatment.—United Press.

## PINEAPPLE RECORD

HAWAIIAN COMPANY HAS BIG  
PRODUCTION

Honolulu, March 14.

The Hawaiian Pineapple Company, the world's greatest packer of pineapples, topped all production records in 1928, packing 3,246,952 cases of 24 cans each compared with 3,156,227 cases in 1927. In addition, increased sales made the company's carry-over smaller than last year.—Associated Press.

For a time he was in partnership with Mrs. George Grossmith in the firm of Grossmith and Malone, and for many years he represented the Australian firm of J. C. Williamson in England. The present Apollo Theatre play, "The Party," was presented in his name, and he was taking an active interest in the production of "Mr. Cinders" at the Adelphi.

## SHADOWS BEFORE.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED  
IN THE MAIL

To-day—Queen's Theatre; "Silk Legs," with Billy Dean and Topsy Lee.

To-day—World Theatre; "Knockout Reilly."

To-day—Star Theatre; "That Royle Girl."

To-day—Majestic Theatre; "Three Wise Crooks."

Home Halls

To-morrow—Inward from Europe via Siberia ("Patrolus"); To-day—Outward for Shanghai and Europe via Siberia ("President McKinley"); 5 p.m.

Lammett's Auctions

Mar. 19-20—At Sales Room Curios, 2.30 p.m.

Mar. 22—At "Woodside," Quarry Bay, household furniture, 2.30 p.m.

Mar. 24—At No. 2 Minden-avenue, 1st Floor, Kowloon, household furniture, 11 a.m.

Meetings

To-day—Diocesan Conference, Cathedral-Hall; 6.15 p.m.

Mar. 22—Annual meeting of shareholders of The Hong Kong Electric Co. Ltd. P. & O. Building, 11 a.m.

March 26—Annual meeting of 67 shareholders of the Hong Kong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., Messrs. Jardine, Matheson's Offices, 11 a.m.

Mar. 27—Annual meeting of the Hong Kong & Whampoa Dock Co. Ltd., 2, Queen's Bldg., noon.

Miscellaneous

March 21—Concert, Helena May Institute, 5.30 p.m.

March 26—Annual inspection of St. John Ambulance Brigade, Murray Parade ground, 5.15 p.m.

## DIPLOMATIC CORPS

CHANGES TO OCCUR IN  
U.S. SERVICE

Washington, March 14.

Sweeping changes in the diplomatic corps and slight changes in the officials of the Department of State will follow the arrival here of Col. Henry L. Stimson, the new Secretary of State, late in March.

A number of changes are expected in the Orient. One of those which has been suggested is the transfer of American Minister MacMurray from Peking to Tokyo to succeed Ambassador MacVeigh, who is expected to retire.

Honolulu, March 14.

Col. Henry L. Stimson, en route to the United States to become Secretary of State, arrived here to-day.

He praised the co-operation which the Filipino leaders accorded him and he praised the trustworthiness and hospitality of the Filipino people.—Associated Press.

## ENVOY TO BRITAIN

APPOINTMENT FOR C. G.  
DAWES

Washington, March 15.

Apparently authentic reports to-day stated that President Hoover is contemplating appointment of former Vice-President Charles G. Dawes as Ambassador to Great Britain.

Dawes has indicated he will accept, in spite of the fact that he once referred to American Embassy members at Paris as "pink-tea diplomats."—United Press.

## LESSON-SERMON

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST,  
SCIENTIST HONG KONG

"Substance" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 17.

The Golden Text was: "Faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen" (Hebrews 11:1).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "And he said unto his disciples, Take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat; neither for the body, what ye shall put on. The life is more than meat, and the body is more than raiment. Sell that ye have, and give alms; provide yourselves bags which wax not old, a treasure in the heavens that faileth not, where no thief approacheth, neither moth corrupteth. For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also" (Luke 12: 22, 23, 33, 34).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "In divine Science man is sustained by God, the divine Principle of being. The earth, at God's command, brings forth food for man's use. Knowing, this Jesus once said, 'Take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink';—presuming not of the prerogative of his creator, but recognising God, the Father and Mother of all, as able to feed and clothe the man as He doth the lilies" (p. 530).

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DRAFT PROGRAMMES and ENTRY FORMS for the SECOND EXTRA RACE MEETING to be held on SATURDAY, 30th March, 1929, and on MONDAY, 1st April, 1929 (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Race Course, Hong Kong Club, and Causeway Bay Stables.

Entries will CLOSE at 12 o'clock noon on FRIDAY, 22nd March, 1929.

Hong Kong, 18th March, 1929.

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## IN OTHER PLACES

CHRONICLES FROM JAPAN  
TO JAVA

Mr. E. Tollesfsen, Co-Directors General of Posts, has formally taken up his new duties.

According to a statement made by the statistical department of the Kuomintang, there are at present 190,000 members enrolled in the party.

Shanghai merchants have been invited by the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour to send exhibits to the National Products Exhibition which is to be opened in the capital on May 1.

A public ricksha was destroyed at the Tientung-Pixwell Road crossing shortly after nine o'clock a.m. one day last week when it was struck by a Japanese navy motor car. The coolie and his fare received minor injuries.

Mr. L. Tillise, the new Danish Consul-General, arrived in Shanghai last week. We understand that Mr. H. de Kauffman, the Danish Minister, is not expected to visit Shanghai for the present.

What is perhaps a record, says the "Central China Post," has taken place at the Hankow Race Club where Mr. People, while playing golf, has gone down the tenth hole twice within one month in one. The two days he accomplished the feat were February 9 and 24.

A special train is being constructed to convey the remains of Dr. Sun Yat-sen to Nanking. This will leave Peking a week prior to June 1, the day set for the state funeral, and the body may be viewed for three days in Nanking, after which it will be placed in the mausoleum. A general holiday will be declared on Tuesday next, being the anniversary of Dr. Sun's death.

## PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

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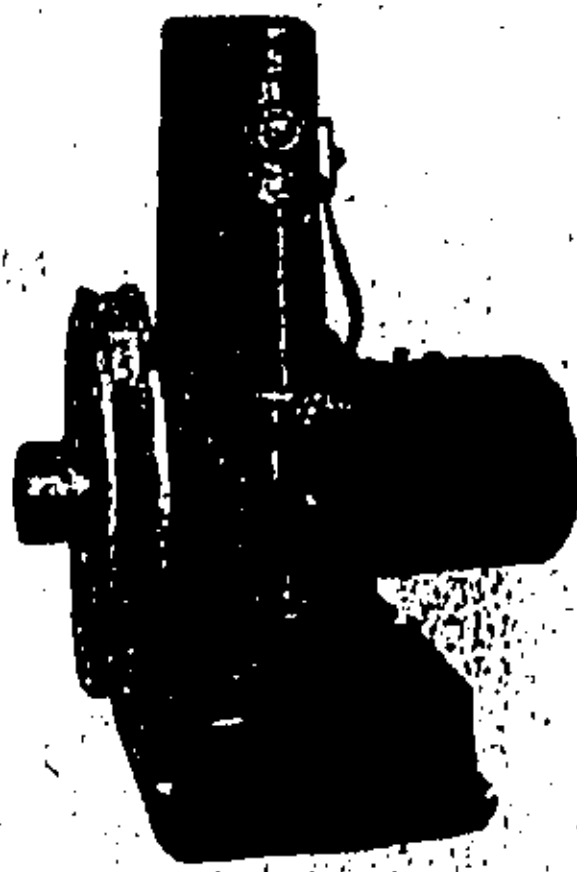
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### RUGBY FOOTBALL

#### SCOTLAND'S WIN OVER ENGLAND

##### GAME AT EDINBURGH

Edinburgh, Saturday.  
Scotland beat England by 12  
points to six in the international  
rugby match played here to-day  
in dull weather before a crowd of  
75,000 spectators. The turf at  
Murrayfield was in splendid con-  
dition. Scotland attacked from the  
outset and forced their way to the  
English line, but A. R. Aslett  
cleared with a fine kick.

From then on, England showed  
a gradual improvement and open-  
ed the scoring after seven  
minutes, when a good movement  
by the backs resulted in Novis  
scoring a try just inside the  
corner flag. Harris took the kick  
at goal but failed to convert.

Scotland then pressed heavily  
for a time and MacPherson nearly  
got through. The English pack  
was effective in the scrummages  
but the Scottish forwards were  
quicker in the open and soon be-  
gan to get hold of the ball more  
frequently. The English line had  
several narrow escapes before the  
interval, but there was no further  
scoring.

Scotland had nearly all the play  
in the second half. After 14  
minutes, Nelson dodged away  
from a scrum and slipped over for  
a try, which Allan did not con-  
vert. Four minutes later, Aslett,  
the English three-quarter, punted  
the ball ahead and hit Altchison,  
the Scottish full-back. The ball  
was kicked over the line and  
Mekkie rushed up and scored for  
England. Novis failed with the  
kick at goal.

A few minutes later the ball  
was passed along the Scottish  
three-quarter line. C. Brown scor-  
ing a try which was not converted  
by Allan. Then from a line-  
out the ball went to Smith, the  
Scottish three-quarter, who dashed  
down the line and scored in the  
corner, Bannerman failing to con-  
vert.

The Scottish pack kept up the  
pressure until the closing moment,  
when Smith scored another try  
for Scotland, which was not im-  
proved upon.

Result: Scotland 12, England 6.  
—Reuter.

### TO-DAY'S RADIO

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ON 350 METRES

The following programme will  
be broadcast to-day from the Gov-  
ernment Broadcasting Station  
Z.B.W. on 350 metres.

5.30-6.30 p.m. — Programme of  
Chinese Music. (Records supplied  
through the courtesy of Messrs.  
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7.48 p.m.—Evening Weather Re-  
port.

8 p.m.—Evening Programme.  
(Columbia Records supplied through  
the courtesy of Messrs. Anderson  
Music Co.)

"Zampa" (Herald), Overture,  
by Dan Godfrey & the  
Bournemouth Orchestra.

"The Schoolmaster and the Boy,"  
Comedy Sketch, Cicely Court-  
golds and Jack Hubbert.

"Funny Face" (A Musical Comedy  
by George Gershwin), Selection,  
Deboy Somers Band.

The Babbitt and The Bromide,  
Funny Face.

A Few drinks Comedy Sketch,  
Leslie Henson & Sydney  
Howard.

The Dog, ♀  
Leslie Henson & Male Quartet.

Funny Face's—Wonderful,  
He Loves And She Loves,  
Adele Astaire & Bernard Clifton.

My One And Only,  
Fred Astaire.

Novelty Orchestra Conducted  
by Julian Jones.

"Four Indian Lyrics," Organ Solo,  
Pattman.

"Two Black Crows" (Mack),  
Comedy Sketch,  
Moran and Jack.

"Schubertiana" (Schubert),  
Herman Finck & His Orchestra.

"The Little Irish Girl,"  
Annie Laurie, Baritone.

"Our Director," March (Biglow),  
"Nalla" (Delibes), Intermezzo,  
Band of the Royal Air Force.

"Truly Rural,"  
"Don't have any More Mrs. Moore,"  
"My Morris with Chorus & Orch."

"Just A Little fond affection,"  
"The Magic Violin,"  
Albert Sandler & the Park Lane  
Hotel Orchestra.

"Danny Boy,"  
"Orpheus With His Lute," Soprano,  
"Dora Labette,"  
News Bulletin.

"William Tell Overture" (Rossini),  
Sir Henry J. Wood & The New  
Queen's Hall Orchestra.

1. Dawn.  
2. The Storm.  
3. The Calm.  
4. Finale.

"A Day's Broadcasting," Descrip-  
tive Sketch,  
Clapham and Dwyer.

10.30 p.m.—Close Down.

### EXCHANGES.

#### TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

|                               |               |
|-------------------------------|---------------|
| On London—                    |               |
| Bank, wire .....              | 1/11 3/4      |
| Bank, on demand .....         | 1/11 15/16    |
| Bank, 30 days' sight .....    | —             |
| Bank, 4 months' sight .....   | 2/-           |
| Credits, 4 months' .....      | 2/- 3/4       |
| Documentary 4 months' .....   | 2/- 3/4       |
| On Paris—                     |               |
| On demand .....               | 1232 1/2      |
| Credits, 4 months' .....      | 1307 1/2      |
| On Berlin—                    |               |
| On demand .....               | —             |
| On New York—                  |               |
| On demand .....               | 48 1/2        |
| Credits, 60 days' sight ..... | 49 1/2        |
| On Bombay—                    |               |
| Wire .....                    | 132           |
| On Calcutta—                  |               |
| Wire .....                    | 132           |
| On demand .....               | 132           |
| On Singapore—                 |               |
| On demand .....               | 85 1/2        |
| On Manila—                    |               |
| On demand .....               | 96 1/2        |
| On Shanghai—                  |               |
| On demand .....               | 78            |
| 30 day's sight (private ..... | —             |
| paper) .....                  | —             |
| On Yokohama—                  |               |
| On demand .....               | 107 1/2       |
| Gold Leaf, 100 fine .....     | —             |
| (per taal) .....              | —             |
| Sovereigns (Bank's .....      | —             |
| buying rate) .....            | 9.75          |
| Silver (per oz.) .....        | 25 1/2        |
| Bar Silver in Hong .....      | —             |
| Kong .....                    | 2 1/2 % Prem. |
| Copper Cash .....             | Nominal       |
| Chinese Copper Cents .....    | 6 % Prem.     |
| Rate of Native In- .....      | —             |
| terest .....                  | 7 % p.a.      |
| Chinese Sub. Coin .....       | 32 1/2 % dis. |
| Hong Kong Sub. Coin Par.      | —             |

#### LONDON EXCHANGES.

|                            |           |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| London, Yesterday.         |           |
| Paris .....                | 124.275   |
| New York .....             | 4.85 9/32 |
| Brussels .....             | 34.95     |
| Geneva .....               | 25.23     |
| Amsterdam .....            | 12.11 1/2 |
| Milan .....                | 92.695    |
| Berlin .....               | 20.455    |
| Stockholm .....            | 18.17     |
| Copenhagen .....           | 18.21     |
| Oslo .....                 | 18.20     |
| Vienna .....               | 34.555    |
| Prague .....               | 163 1/2   |
| Helsingfors .....          | 192 1/2   |
| Madrid .....               | 31.805    |
| Lisbon .....               | 108 1/2   |
| Athens .....               | 575       |
| Bucharest .....            | 816 1/2   |
| Rio .....                  | 5 1/2     |
| Buenos Aires .....         | 47 5/16   |
| Bombay .....               | 1/5 31/32 |
| Shanghai .....             | 2/6 1/2   |
| Hong Kong .....            | 1/11 1/4  |
| Yokohama .....             | 1/10 1/16 |
| Silver Spot & For- .....   | —         |
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### COMEDienne ILL

Paris, March 11.  
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sity, a concert and dance in aid of  
the building fund of the Univer-  
sity Women's Hostel, organised by  
the women undergraduates, were  
successfully held in the Great Hall  
of the University on Saturday even-  
ing.

About 400 tickets were sold long  
before Saturday and these, to-  
gether with those who paid for  
their admission at the door, brought  
the number of the attendance to  
the vicinity of 500, all of whom  
spent a very enjoyable evening.

Effective Decorations  
The decorations carried out by  
the Women Undergraduate Body  
Committee were on simple lines,  
but nevertheless very effective and  
pleasing. The broad stairs lead-  
ing up to the Great Hall were  
flanked with flower plants and  
palm trees in pots, whilst the interior  
of the Hall was decorated with  
streamers around the pillars and  
hanging in loops in between.

These were in the 'Varsity colours'.  
Inside the entrance to the Great  
Hall were erected, on each side of  
the door, two stalls laden with  
chocolate and candy done up in  
boxes to represent bricks with the  
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"Buy Bricks of Best Bonbons to  
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the Women's Hostel".

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Kong views, prettily framed, oc-  
cupied the centres of the two stalls.  
These two pretty pictures were done  
by a clever painter who preferred to  
remain unknown, and were offered  
for sale to the highest bidders.

The Concert Programme

The function opened with a very  
enjoyable concert programme which  
started promptly at 8 p.m. In spite  
of the fact that following the exam-  
ple of the donor of the paintings  
those taking part in the concert  
elected to be unnamed on the pro-  
gramme, we are not betraying any  
secret in saying that they were well-  
known 'Varsity favourites, and as  
usual, they one and all acquitted  
themselves admirably.

The "mystery" programme was  
as follows:—

Overture—"The Toastmaster,"  
(H. F. Odell).

Vocal Trio—"The Gossings,"  
(Sir Fredrick Bridge).

Pianoforte Duet—"Il Corricolo  
Galop,"  
(Durand de Grau).

Dance—"O' man River,"  
Pianoforte Solo—"Liebestraum,"  
(Frank List).

Vocal Solo—"Immortality,"  
(Hermann Lehr).

Sketch—"Up to Date,"  
(Sybil Caldwell).

Dance—"Minnet,"  
Finale—"Goodnight."

Refreshments were served after  
the concert, and then dancing was  
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ciation.

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Miss O. Basto (Hon. Secretary),  
Miss B. Chan (Hon. Treasurer),  
Miss E. Wong (Concert Pro-  
gramme), Miss L. Lam (Decor-  
ations), Miss L. Todd (Refresh-  
ments), Miss A. Remedios (Sweet  
Stalls), and Miss W. I. Griffin  
(Adviser).

### FENG YU-HSIANG

#### RESIGNS FROM MINISTRY OF WAR

Peking, Yesterday.

A telegram from Pechuan,  
where General Feng Yu-hsiang  
(the "Christian General") is stay-  
ing, to the "Chao Pao," his Peking  
organ, states that he has tele-  
graphed to Marshal Chiang Kai-  
shek resigning from his post of  
Minister for War.

Nanking, Yesterday.

Feng Yu-hsiang's resignation is  
confirmed.—Reuter.

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S. W. Tso, O.B.E., LL.D., Sir  
Robert Ho Tung, Kt., and the  
Directors of the Tung Wah Hos-  
pital.

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offered, all the best items in the  
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were presented, and those who at-  
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## FOOTBALL LEAGUE

### DECISIONS OF THE COMMITTEE

The Management Committee of the Football League report the following decisions:

Letter of protest from Chinese Athletic Association re the Senior League game v. H.K. Club, on February 2. Secretary instructed to call for report from Referee and arrange a special Committee meeting to consider it.

Recreio v. Eastern 2-2-29. Owing to a misunderstanding the Eastern team did not turn out for this game. Committee to re-arrange fixture.

Navy v. S. China "B" (9-2-29) Junior Division.—S. China team failed to turn out. Points awarded to Navy and South China Athletic Association fined ten dollars. S. China v. Hung Kwei School (30-1-29) Midweek League.—Hung Kwei School failed to turn out. Points awarded S. China and Hung

## YACHTING

### FIRST CORINTHIAN RACE DECIDED

#### CLUB v. THE SERVICES

The first Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club's Corinthian race (for racing yachts) took place on Saturday, the course being Channel Rocks. Kowloon Rock. Channel Rocks. Cust Rock Buoy. Distance 6.1 miles. Started 2.45 p.m.

The result was as follows:

| Yacht         | Finishing | Corrected |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| La Linda (1)  | 5.05.49   | 5.03.41   |
| Diana (2)     | 5.09.58   | 5.05.27   |
| Dorothea (3)  | 5.14.35   | 5.11.02   |
| Speedwell (4) | 5.32.18   | 5.19.45   |
| Boojum (5)    | 5.34.08   | 5.20.35   |
| Colleen       | D.N.F.    |           |
| Daphne        | D.N.F.    |           |
| Ailsa         | D.N.F.    |           |
| Pierrette     | D.N.F.    |           |
| Joan          | D.N.F.    |           |
| Why Wonder    | D.N.F.    |           |
| Wings         | D.N.F.    |           |
| Bluenose      | D.N.F.    |           |
| Adanac        | D.N.F.    |           |
| Lola          | D.N.F.    |           |

#### Club v. Services

Yesterday's event was a Club v. Combined Services contest, which the latter won by 112 points to 100. The morning race started at 11.05, the course being—Start, Club Line West to East, Channel Rocks (P), Kowloon Rock (P), Mark on Line (S), Cust Rock Buoy (S), finish, Club Line West to East; a distance of 5.5 miles.

The afternoon race started at 2.35, the course being—Start, Club Line West to East, Channel Rocks (P), Kowloon Rock (P), Channel Rocks (S), Cust Rock Buoy (S), finish, Club Line West to East; a distance of 6 miles.

## MORNING RACE

| Club | Yacht     | Finish   | Pos. | Pts. |
|------|-----------|----------|------|------|
|      | Ailsa     | 12.23.05 | 5    | 10   |
|      | Wings     | 12.23.51 | 7    | 8    |
|      | Boojum    | 12.24.25 | 1    | 15   |
|      | Adanac    | 12.30.31 | 9    | 6    |
|      | Zephyr    | 12.33.34 | 11   | 4    |
|      | Pierrette | 12.33.34 | 6    | 9    |
|      | Joan      | 12.33.17 | 10   | 5    |

## Points

| Club | Yacht      | Points   |
|------|------------|----------|
|      | Daphne     | 12.29.53 |
|      | Why Wonder | 12.27.45 |
|      | Bluenose   | 12.27.27 |
|      | Speedwell  | 12.26.49 |
|      | Lola       | 12.36.44 |
|      | Gael       | 12.36.02 |
|      | Thelia     | 12.35.50 |

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|      | Daphne     | 4.08.42 |
|      | Why Wonder | 4.09.51 |
|      | Bluenose   | 4.10.18 |
|      | Speedwell  | 4.08.35 |
|      | Lola       | 4.15.22 |
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## MARATHON RACE

### GUNNER KATAR SINGH'S FINE VICTORY

#### SOME GOOD TIMES

Inaugurated last year, when it was won by Pte. J. Tiernan, R.A.M.C., the second annual Hong Kong Marathon race under the auspices of the St. Peter's Church Young Men's Club was successfully held on Saturday.

It attracted 103 entries and both the start and finish were witnessed by a large gathering of interested spectators. The competition was for both individual and team prizes. Any number could enter the race as a team, the "Nestangle" team shield and medals presented by Mr. Tsang Fook going to the team of which five men finished the course first.

All the competitors, of course, went in for the individual prizes, but with the exception of six who ran as "Individuals," they also ran as teams, as follows:—

St. Peter's Club, 8; H.M.S. "Suffolk," 10; 2nd Batt. King's Own Scottish Borderers, 16; Naval and Military Y.M.C.A., 7; 1st Batt. Queen's Royal Regiment 7; 1st Batt. Somerset Light Infantry, 9; 1st Batt. Northamptonshire Regiment, 16; 3rd Batt. 15th Punjab Regiment, 14; and Hong Kong and Singapore Brigade, R.A., 10.

The Northamptonshire Regiment, it might be explained, are the last of the original "Shaford" to be moved from the Northern port and are at present in Hong Kong awaiting passage on H.M.'s troopship "Dorsetshire."

#### The Course

The course, over a distance of 8½ miles, was as follows:—

Start at Lyttleton-road (outside the hotel entrance of the Hong Kong University) along Lyttleton-road, through Park-road, then wind up Robinson-road, along the new Motor-road to the end of Conduit-road, then through the Conduit Viaduct to Mr. Biggar's House. Then along Pokfulam-road, down Dairy Farm Hill to point of Jubilee-road, along that road to Mount Davis-road, up Mount Davis-road to the Point of Pokfulam-road, along that road, past the Hong Kong University (front entrance) and along Bonham-road to King's College where the race ended.

The winner of the race, Gunner Katar Singh of the Hong Kong and Singapore Brigade, R.A., was also the first man in last year but then had the misfortune of being disqualified on account of his having gone out of the course when passing the Chinese cemetery at Pokfulam, and thus had to concede first place to Pte. Tiernan, of the R.A.M.C.

Katar Singh's time of 51mins. 33.4/secs. was over a minute better than the time of 53mins. with which Tiernan won the race last year.

#### The First Seventeen

The names of the first seventeen runners to finish the course, with the times of the four prize winners are given below:—

1st Gunner Katar Singh (1), Hong Kong and Singapore Brigade, R.A. Time: 51mins. 33.4/secs.

2nd Pte. Baulch, Somerset L.I. Time: 52mins. 33secs.

3rd Pte. Woodland, Queen's Royal Regiment. Time: 52mins. 41secs.

4th Gunner Daswanda Singh, Hong Kong and Singapore Brigade, R.A. Time: 52mins. 47secs.

(It will be noticed that all the four named above bettered the time in which Pte. Tiernan won last year.)

5th Lce.-Cpl. Rowbottom, Queen's Royal Regiment.

6th Pte. Gear, King's Own Scottish Borderers.

7th Pte. Adams, Somerset L.I.

8th Pte. Hume, King's Own Scottish Borderers.

9th Marine James, H.M.S. "Suffolk."

10th Lowe (individual runner).

11th Pte. McCabe, King's Own Scottish Borderers.

12th Pte. Malbey, King's Own Scottish Borderers.

13th Sepoy Dharam Singh, Punjab Regiment.

14th Gunner Babu Singh, Hong Kong and Singapore Brigade, R.A. 15th Ldg.-Sign. Sibley, H.M.S. "Suffolk."

16th Gunner Katar Singh (2), Hong Kong and Singapore Brigade, R.A.

17th Pte. Barrass, King's Own Scottish Borderers. Thanks to the splendid running of Ptes. Gear, Hume, McCabe, Malbey and Barrass, who, by being among the first 17, scored 54, the "Nestangle" team shield and team medals presented by Mr. Tsang Fook went to the 2nd Battalion the King's Own Scottish Borderers. By scoring 55 points the Hong Kong and Singapore Brigade, R.A., secured second team place, a signal honour, although there were no prizes offered.

In addition to the individual and team prizes, there were two cups offered for the first two members of St. Peter's Club to finish the course. These were awarded as under:—

1st R. G. Hunt. Time: 69 mins. 2nd Young Tsun-luk, a youngster of about 15 years of age.

After the race, tea was served in the Club's grounds.

#### The Honour of Winning

Before the distribution of prizes, the Very Rev. A. Swann, President of St. Peter's Club, addressed the gathering. He said that he was glad for the fine support which had been given to the second Marathon race held by the Club, glad that the Club had again made such a success of the event, and glad that it was a competition between amateurs who were not out for money considerations but for the honour attached to the winning of such a race.

The trophies which they saw on the table were being given to the successful few not as payment for their fine performances but as evidence of their sporting prowess, of which they had every right to be proud as clean sportsmen.

Speaking on the meaning of the word "sportsman," the Dean said that he had come across a fine definition of that word by R.C. Lehman which he must pass on to all those present. He asked the members of the Club to pay particular attention to it.

Lehman was quoted as follows:—

"What, after all is a sportsman? As I understand the breed, he is one who has not merely braced his muscles and developed his endurance by the exercise of some great sport, but has in the pursuit of that exercise learnt to control his anger, to be considerate to his fellow men, to take no mean advantage, to resent as a dishonour the very suspicion of trickery, to bear aloft a cheerful countenance under disappointment, and never to own himself defeated until the last breath is out of his body."

That was the spirit in which the race had been run that afternoon, concluded the Dean, and all those who had taken part in it were sportsmen in the sense of that definition. (Applause).

The Dean then called upon Mrs. Kotewall to give away the prizes, and in doing so said that Mrs. Kotewall needed no introduction to the gathering as they all knew that she and her husband had taken a great interest in St. Peter's Club from its inception. (Applause).

After giving away the prizes, Mrs. Kotewall thanked the Club for giving her the pleasure of performing the ceremony that afternoon. She was accorded three hearty cheers.

Three cheers and a "tiger" for the competitors then terminated the proceedings.

#### Thanks to Donors

The thanks of the Club are due to the following donors of prizes:— Messrs. Nestle and Anglo-Swiss Condensed Milk Co., for the "Nestangle" Challenge Cup, the first prize replica of the Challenge Cup, and the "Nestangle" Team Shield.

Messrs. the British-American Tobacco Co. (China) Ltd., for the second prize "Captain" Cup.

Mr. Andrew Cheung for the third prize cup.

Miss R. Mow Fung and Mrs. Griggs for the fourth prize cup.

Mr. Tsang Fook for the team medals.

Rev. Halward for the first prize cup for Club members.

Mr. G. W. R. Griggs for the second prize cup for Club members.

Officials Responsible

The following were the officials of the Marathon:— President: Very Rev. A. Swann. Chairman of Sports Committee: Mr. E. Zimmern.

Joint Hon. Secretaries: Messrs. J. C. L. Wong and H. S. Clayton. Hon. Treasurer: Mr. E. Manning.

Starter: Mr. E. C. Thomas. Judges: Messrs. G. W. R. Griggs, D. Trafford, W. Lamb, F. C. Mow Fung, Peter Pau, Lt.-Col. H. B. Vernon, H.K.S.E., R.A., and Lt.-Comdr. J. G. C. Gibson, H.M.S. "Suffolk."

Timekeepers: E. C. Thomas and P. Sands.

## LAWN TENNIS

### MATCHES AT CHINESE RECREATION CLUB

There was a disappointing end to an interesting match at the Chinese Recreation Club yesterday when T. Honda, the local champion, played an exhibition match with Comdr. Gill, of the United States Navy. The match was to have been decided over three sets, but after a good struggle in the first two sets, Comdr. Gill was unable to continue, when 2 love down in the final set, owing to a strain in his right thigh.

#### C.R.C. v. U.S.R.C.

The Chinese R.C. played the U.S.R.C. and the results were as follows:—

Horace Lo and Lu Tak-cheuk lost to Major Lucas and Dr. Tottenham 2-6, 2-6; lost to McEachran and Goldman 2-6, 5-7; beat Hazel and Herbert 6-2, 6-2.

Ng Sze-kwong and Ho Ka-lau beat Major Lucas and Dr. Tottenham 7-5, 6-2; beat McEachran and Goldman 6-2, 6-2; beat Hazel and Herbert 5-7, 6-2, 6-0.

M. K. and M. W. Lo beat Major Lucas and Dr. Tottenham 4-6, 6-3, 7-5; beat McEachran and Goldman 1-6, 6-1, 6-3; beat Hazel and Herbert 6-2, 6-2. Total: C.R.C. 7 points; U.S.R.C. 2 points.

#### H.K.C.C. Tournament

The programme this afternoon in the Hong Kong Cricket Club annual tournament is as follows:— Open Doubles.—E. C. and E. F. Fincher v. S. A. and H. D. Ramjahn.

Club Championship.—H. J. Armstrong v. I. Goldman.

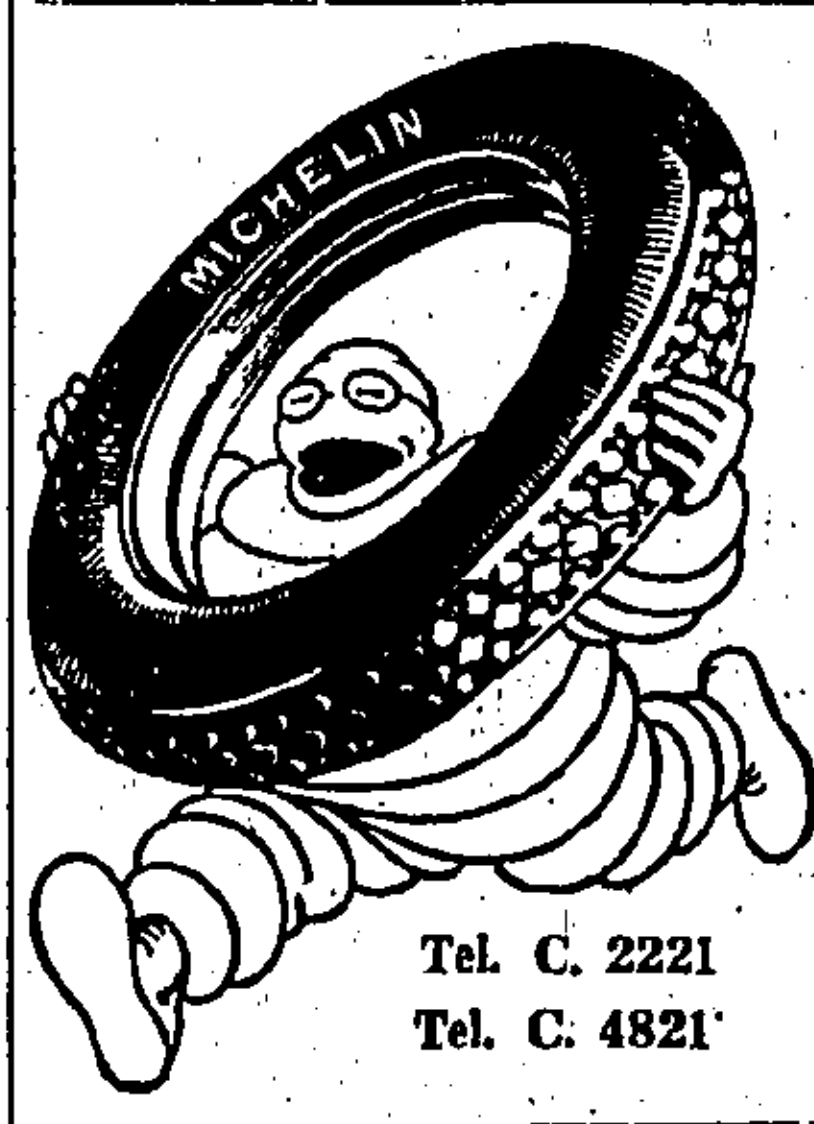
Handicap Singles "B"—E. R. Price (rec. 4/6) v. G. N. de Man (owe 2/6); L. A. R. Duncan (owe 5/6) v. A. Reid (owe 15).

Mixed Doubles.—H. V. Parker and Miss D. Stanion (owe 2/6) v. A. H. Crook and Mrs. Womack (owe 4/6); Mr. and Mrs. A. Piercy (rec. 4/6) v. W. L. Stanion and Mrs. J. S. McEachran (rec. 3/6).

Manchester Watch Committee refused permission to the Manchester Players' Association to produce plays in licensed theatres on Sundays.

Three surfaces of tessellated Roman pavement which formed the floor of a house or shop at least 1,800 years ago, have been found in Seething-lane, E.C.

The London, Midland, and Scottish Railway plan to have 256 engines built this year.



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## FOOTBALL SHIELD

## CHINESE ATHLETIC LOSE TO KOWLOON

## SOUTH CHINA DEFEAT NAVY

The second round of the Hong Kong Shield was productive of fine matches, especially in the Senior Division where Kowloon, by a brilliant victory over the Athletic, provided the big surprise of the day.

South China also sprung a surprise by defeating the Navy, although the latter lacked the services of several prominent players.

The Club de Recreio played a thrilling draw with the Police and the "Somerset" gave a good show in both divisions.

The Navy Regiment, the K.O.S.B., and the Chinese Athletic all got through in the Second Division as expected.

All the matches were fought out in a good spirit and free from serious incident.

## RESULTS AT A GLANCE

## Hong Kong Shield—Div. I

|                    |              |
|--------------------|--------------|
| South China "A" 2  | Royal Navy 1 |
| Chinese Athletic 1 | Kowloon 2    |
| Club de Recreio 2  | Police 2     |
| Somerset Regt. 2   | R.A.F. 2     |

## Division II

|                    |                   |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| Royal Navy 2       | Police 1          |
| Somerset Regt. 2   | South China "B" 3 |
| Chinese Athletic 7 | P.W.D. 1          |
| K.O.S.B. Res. 7    | R.A.F. 0          |

## League Division II

|                   |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| R.A. 1            | Queen's Regt. 3 |
| Club de Recreio 1 | Eastern 2       |

## H.K. Shield—Div. I

## SOUTH CHINA A.A. v. ROYAL NAVY

These teams met at Caroline Hill before a good crowd. South China played well and improved on recent displays, being good winners at the final by the odd goal in three.

The teams lined up as follows:

South China:—Pau Ka-ping; Li Tin-sang, Lau Mau; Leung Yiu-chiu, Leung Wing-tak, Leung Wing-chiu; Tsang Chiu, Wong Mee, Fung King-chung, Pau Ka-chuen, and Ip Pak-wa.

Royal Navy:—Brockman ("Titan"), Barkham ("Tamar"), Baker ("Titan"), Chauner ("Tamar"), Hughes ("Suffolk"), Moss ("Cumberland"), Van Tromp ("Hermes"), Firth ("Hermes"), Peacock ("Suffolk"), Kernick ("Titan"), and Preston ("Tamar").

Referee:—C.P.O. Conan, R.N. South China kicked off and Barkham was early in the picture with a fine clearance, South China's forwards early showing good form. The Navy were away from the relief, and Pau had to kick away from Preston. The sailors kept up the pressure and looked like scoring, until Ip Pak-wa went down the wing, and Pau Ka-chuen put over when well placed. The Chinese were through but the goal was disallowed. From good work by Van Tromp, after a fine kick by Barkham, Peacock put the Navy one up.

South China played spiritedly and during pressure on the Navy goal Leung Wing-tak smashed a fine drive past Brockman, and the sides were level.

Pau saved at full length from Firth, and Kernick put outside with the defence beaten. The Chinese backs defended stoutly, and the interval arrived with the score one all.

## Exciting Play

The second half restarted brightly, Peacock being nearly through early. From a corner Lau Mau cleared cleverly. Fast and exciting play followed, Peacock just failing to bring the ball down when in a good scoring position. Following good work by Fung and Ip Pak-wa, after severe pressure, Chauner headed into his own goal past Brockman, and South China led.

Firth was injured but returned. Still hurt, however, he tested Pau with a beauty which the goalkeeper saved well. South China appeared more lively than the Navy who could not get the final touch in. Li Tin-sang and Lau Mau, by steady defence, kept the sailors out when they attacked desperately in the closing stages.

Both teams came close, but the final whistle came with South China winners of a fine fast match.

The Game Summed Up  
The South China team as rearranged was a success. Pau kept a safe goal with less to do than Brockman. Lau Mau played a fine game at back. The halves were steady, Leung Wing-tak doing well in a good line, Fung, Ip Pak-wa, and Tsang were the pick of a clever forward line, who played with rare dash.

The Navy appeared at times slow, although they gave many clever touches. Brockman was slightly at fault with China's second goal, but Baker and Barkham—particularly the latter—were great backs. Moss was the pick of the half backs, who appeared at times on the slow side when attacking. Peacock was ever a forger, but tried to do too much, and played out of luck. Van Tromp and Firth were the steadier wing, but Kernick was bright at times, without striking his real form.

The match was a good one, of the real Cup-tie order and played by both teams in the right spirit; but many of the referee's decisions on both sides were often open to question.

## CHINESE ATHLETIC v. KOWLOON

A Sensational Result  
Kowloon's narrow victory came as a complete surprise to every one, for not even their most enthusiastic supporters could have had much confidence in their ability to gain the day at the expense of the Athletic. There was nothing in the nature of a fluke about their win, however, for they were clearly the better team throughout the first half, and after the interval defended so stoutly that the Athletic forwards for once found themselves well nigh impotent. The Athletic made the fatal mistake of taking matters too easily at first, and so have only themselves to blame for their defeat.

The teams lined up as follows:

Chinese Athletic:—Chan Sek-pui; Wong Shui-wo, Lai Yuk-tat; Ho Cho-yin, Wong Shui-wa, Lam Yik-ying; Ng Kam-chuen, Sek Pui-tim, Wong Pak-chung, Suen Kam-shun, and Chan Kwong-in.

Kowloon:—Angus; Guest, Pile; Downman, Easterbrook, Hast; Eastman, Hedley, Morgan, McKelvie, and Miles.

Referee:—Master - at - Arms Vosper, H.M.S. "Cornwall."

An Early Penalty  
Kowloon started aggressively, and after a fine run by Miles, Chan Sek-pui tipped a scorching shot from McKelvie over the bar for a corner. The ball was placed accurately, and Lai Yuk-tat had the misfortune to handle in the penalty area. McKelvie took the kick and gave the goalkeeper no possible chance with a beautifully placed drive.

This early reverse seemed to unsettle the Athletic forwards, their work being nothing like so convincing as usual. Kowloon continued to press, and Hedley lost a great chance of adding to the score by hesitating. Chan Sek-pui was repeatedly in action at this period, and brought off two fine saves from Eastman and Morgan. Miles ran down and forced a corner, from which Kowloon went further ahead. Eastman netting after a shot from Hedley had been deflected.

Hedley and Eastman were playing a fine game on the Kowloon right wing, the latter's centres being a constant source of anxiety to the opposing defence. The Athletic got moving at last, and Suen Kam-shun shot wide from a good position. A moment later Ng Kam-chuen got clear away, but Angus rushed out to the rescue of a dangerous situation. Eastman caused a sensation by breaking through, only to shoot high over an open goal.

Pile earned warm applause for a magnificent tackle from Ng Kam-chuen, and at the other end Miles shot right at Chan from five yards' range. An exciting melee in the Kowloon goal mouth was relieved by the award of a free kick to Kowloon, and a moment later Ng Kam-chuen struck the side of the net with a rasping drive. Just before the interval Athletic made a concerted rush and Angus saved from Wong Pak-chung right on the goal line, the Athletic players vainly appealing for a goal.

Half-time:—  
Athletic 0  
Kowloon 2

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The closing stages saw the Athletic making a thrilling struggle for the equaliser, but Angus defended his charge magnificently, whilst Pile and Guest were both in great form.

Result:—  
Athletic 0  
Kowloon 2

## CLUB DE RECREIO v. POLICE R.C.

## Draw After Extra Time

Played at King's Park, Kowloon, the match resulted in a draw, after extra time.

The teams were lined up under Mr. F. Smith in the following order:—

Club de Recreio:—N. Beltrao; P. Xavier, Silva-Netto; Sousa, A. Remedios, C. Remedios; B. Gosano, Ward, A. Gosano, Rocha, and Brown.

Police R.C.:—Clarke; Wynne, Muir; Jessop, Hudson, Britain; Howarth, Oram, Fraser, MacGreavy, and Pile.

The Police won the toss and a spirited display commenced, A. Gosano making a head line for the visitors' goal. Although he and his supporting forwards met with aggressive opposition in a struggle in the goal area, Gosano made no mistake when he received a neat pass from Sousa, which, with remarkable acumen, he converted into the first goal for his side.

This encouraging start for the home team also seemed to inspire the Police to greater efforts and brilliant mid-field play ensued. The general run of the play at this stage seemed to indicate a further goal for the Recreio especially when Gosano passed back to Brown, who took a quick-time shot which grazed the cross-bar on the wrong side. From the goal kick the Police got away and what appeared to be a nasty situation was averted by the skill of Xavier, who temporarily transferred the play. The Police, however, again attacked and the Recreio goal area was the scene of a scramble out of which Fraser managed to get the equaliser.

Again on level terms, play began in real earnest, but the general run of the exchanges proved to be slightly in favour of the home team. In spite of narrow escapes on both sides, no further goals were recorded.

Half-time:—  
Club de Recreio 1  
Police R.C. 1

Scores Still Level  
On resuming, the Recreio again took up the offensive and Police defence were harassed by the repeated attacks of their combined forward line, the three outstanding players of whom were undoubtedly the brothers Gosano and Ward, who had a perfect understanding of each other's play. As a direct result of this combination, A. Gosano netted for the second time from a close-in shot, which left Clarke helpless, in spite of a creditable effort on that player's part.

The game was now getting to a critical stage when the Police realised that to win, or even equalise, meant a gigantic effort on their part. And Howarth and MacGreavy organised the necessary attack! In spite of their well-directed endeavours, the ubiquity of the Recreio forwards, together with the support they received from the half-backs, proved to be two factors which were almost insurmountable. Nothing daunted, the Police struggled on and very shortly after Howarth collected the ball and passed to MacGreavy, who scored the equaliser.

The game now became very fast, both teams striving to attain the lead. For the next quarter of an hour exchanges were of an exciting nature, but at full time the score remained unaltered. Although extra time was played no advancement could be made by either side.

Result:—  
Club de Recreio 2  
Police R.C. 2

SOMERSET L.I. v. R.A.

## Another Indecisive Contest

At Sookumpoo an indecisive contest was fought between the Somerset L.I. and the Gunners, before a small but enthusiastic crowd.

Mr. Atkinson lined the teams up as follows:—

R.A.:—Fletcher; Excel, Oliver; Taylor, Nellis, Joyce; Cotton, Watson, Gill, Bridgeman, and Jobe.

Somerset L.I.:—V. Hall; Lawrence, Clarke; Mead, Rayson, Penny, L. Hall, Palmer, Guest, Hayward, and Butcher.

The Gunners won the toss and appeared to take this as a sign that the game would prove to be in their favour, judging by the immediate dash in the direction of the Somerset's goal. Although a goal did not materialise, Cotton managed to force a corner off Clarke. The ensuing corner shot resulted in transferring the play to his opponents' area. After ten minutes Butcher put in a long

shot from the touch-line which penetrated the R.A. citadel—first blood for the Somerset.

It was apparent at this stage of the game that the Somerset were a far quicker team and the Gunners became more wary, making more use of their superiority in weight. Jobe was the organiser of a concentrated raid on his opponents' goal and after a clever combination with Bridgeman he placed a sparkling drive straight for the right hand corner of the net. Hall was on the alert, however, and reached the ball in time to avert a goal. The R.A. continued to show remarkable determination and shortly after an opportunity was snapped up by Gill, who scored a clever goal, thereby depriving the Somerset of their lead.

The Somerset had up to this time rather under-rated the abilities of their opponents, but after Gill's effort they commenced to play some excellent football. Butcher, in particular, playing a game which would have been a credit to any forward line. The Gunners were now forced to play a more or less defensive game. Fletcher had much hard work to do in conjunction with Excel and Oliver, but in spite of this worthy defence Rayson managed to net from a free kick for handling in close range of the R.A. goal.

Having regained the lead the Somerset played on the defensive until the half-time whistle blew.

Half-time:—  
Somerset L.I. 2  
R.A. 1

In the second half the Somerset started as though they meant to increase their lead, Penny forcing a corner off Excel, which, however, proved futile. From now onward the great fault which was apparent in the R.A. team was the tendency of the forwards to bunch together. Of this the

Somerset L.I. 2  
R.A. 1

At Sookumpoo, South China won by the narrow margin of three goals to two.

The referee, Mr. Samy, lined up the following teams:—

Somerset:—Hall; Niel, Earles; Legg, Harris, Chidgey; Kearle, Wallace, Hicks, Guest, and Ewert.

South China "B":—Lam Tai-shing; Sui Hui, Yip Koon-hong; Sin Ping-shung, Lau Kwok-yin, To Kwan; Wong Ka-leung, Yip Koon-chun, Chan Chat-ming, Chan Yui-tin, and Yip Yuen-sum.

Hicks opened the play by a rush up the field, but Sui Hui frustrated his effort when a goal seemed inevitable. Chidgey handled and from the free kick Wong Ka-leung netted for South China.

Guest tried to retaliate with a fine effort which, unfortunately for the Somerset, went high. Play was transferred to the other side of the field by Yip Koon-hong, a clever pass from whom resulted in Yip Yuen-sum netting, but the goal was disallowed for offside.

Through handling on the part of the Somerset again another free kick was awarded to South China, who, through the medium of Chan Chit-ming, scored their second goal.

A few minutes after the resumption Yip Yuen-sum recorded the third goal for his team from a neat shot. Realising that the situation was becoming serious, the Somerset commenced to make more promising efforts, with the result that Harris scored almost practically on the goal line.

The same player, some few moments later, again netted, thus decreasing the deficit materially. At this stage South China appeared to go off in their play and were not able to score again. On the general run of the play they were lucky to maintain the lead.

Result:—  
South China "B" 3  
Somerset L.I. 2

CHINESE ATHLETIC v. P.W.D. CHINESE

A Runaway Victory

On the H.K.F.C. ground the Athletic made their way into the semi-final as the result of a runaway victory over P.W.D. The game was much too one-sided to hold any interest for the spectators.

Leung Tat-wing opened the scoring after five minutes' play, and Ho Kar-kaung soon added a second point.

The Athletic forwards were doing practically as they pleased, their clever, short, passing movements completely baffling their opponents. Leung Tat-wing found the net again before the interval, a beautiful first timer giving Chu Fook-to no chance.

Within two minutes of the resumption Chan Yui-wai had put on a further point, whilst Ho Kar-kaung added the fifth shortly afterwards. A beautiful run by Li Fong led to this player beating the P.W.D. goalkeeper with a glorious cross drive, and the same player added the final point by rushing the goalkeeper into the net. Just before the final whistle the P.W.D. broke away and scored through Leung Chung-kwong.

Result:—  
Athletic 7  
P.W.D. 1

R.A.F. v. K.O.S.B.

## "The Lucky Seven"

As was expected, the Borderers found no difficulty in overcoming the Air Force, piling up seven goals without reply. The winners were in great form forward, Crawley and Stevens again proving gluttons for work, whilst Craig gave a sparkling exhibition on the left wing. Crawley scored the initial point after 10 minutes' play, after which the Air Force defence cracked up badly, and the Borderers proceeded to bombard Jarvis with shots from all angles. The goalkeeper gave a highly creditable exhibition, however, and could hardly be blamed for his side's heavy defeat. Crawley added a second point following a free kick, and Stevens added a third before the change of ends.

The second half proceeded in much the same vein, Stevens having a very idle afternoon in the Borderers' goal. Craig and Stevens both missed easy open

Result:—  
R.A. 7  
Queen's Regiment 1

Division II

ROYAL NAVY v. POLICE R.C.

Played at Caroline Hill. The Royal Navy in a low scoring match were much superior, during the greater portion of the match. The Navy won by two goals to one, but the result did not flatter them by any means.

The Navy started briskly, and Estel, early, but goals were not forthcoming until Gray smashed home a good drive, the Navy leading at the interval by 1 to nil.

In the second half, the Police made one or two likely movements, and Clarke and Caruthers tried hard to score but the Navy held most of the play and Sorbie increased their lead.

## HOME FOOTBALL

## WEDNESDAY &amp; SUNDERLAND WIN

## GLASGOW RANGERS DRAW

## London, Saturday.

In to-day's League matches Wednesday and Leicester both won in the First Division. Middlesbrough and Notts County, hitherto leaders in the Second Division, both lost.

Northampton, the leaders of the Southern Division, only drew at home, but Luton gained full points. In the Northern Division both Stockport and Bradford City improved their position. In the Scottish League, Rangers, at Queen's Park, Glasgow, had to share the points with Falkirk.

Full results:

## Division I.

Arsenal 2, Cardiff 1.  
Birmingham 0, Liverpool 0.  
Blackburn 1, Sheffield U. 1.  
Bolton 1, Manchester U. 1.  
Derby 1, Aston Villa 0.  
Everton 2, Burnley 0.  
Huddersfield 2, Newcastle 1.  
Manchester C. 4, West Ham 2.  
Portsmouth 0, Leeds 2.  
Wednesday 1, Leicester 0.  
Sunderland 3, Bury 1.

## Division II.

Barnsley 2, Notts. County 0.  
Blackpool 3, Southampton 0.  
Bradford 3, Middlesbrough 2.  
Bristol C. 5, Millwall 0.  
Chelsea 0, Wolves 2.  
Clapton 0, Tottenham 3.  
Grimsby 1, Preston 0.  
Notts. Forest 2, Port Vale 2.  
Stoke 5, Reading 0.  
Swansea 3, Oldham 2.  
West Brom. 2, Hull 0.

## Division III. (S.)

Bournemouth 3, Watford 3.  
Brentford 1, Walsall 0.  
Brighton 2, Plymouth 1.  
Charlton 2, Torquay 0.  
Coventry 1, Crystal Pal. 3.  
Exeter 1, Fulham 4.  
Luton 5, Newport 2.  
Merthyr 4, Bristol R. 0.  
Northampton 1, Swindon 1.  
Norwich 1, Gillingham 2.  
Southend 0, Queen's P.R. 3.  
Exeter 3, 6 18 46 22 22

## Division III. (N.)

Ashington 0, Carlisle 4.  
Barrow 2, Accrington 1.  
Chesterfield 0, Bradford C. 5.  
Darlington 4, Crewe 2.  
Doncaster 4, Hartlepool 1.  
Nelson 2, Wigan 1.  
New Brighton 1, Halifax 0.  
Rochdale 1, Stockport 3.  
Southport 1, Tranmere 2.  
Sth. Shields 10, Rotherham 1.  
Wrexham 2, Lincoln 1.

## SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Airdrie 3, Raith R. 1.  
Ayr 1, Partick 3.  
Celtic 2, Aberdeen 2.  
Cowdenbeath 1, St. Johnstone 0.  
Dundee 1, Clyde 2.  
Hibernians 0, Hamilton 1.  
Motherwell 3, Hearts 2.

## Second League

Queen's Royal Regiment v. R.A.

These teams played off a Junior League fixture on the Chatham Road ground, the Queen's celebrating their final appearance in Hong Kong football by recording a win by three goals to one.

The Gunners were handicapped by the absence of one of their team, and rarely looked like making the game a close struggle. Thurlow opened the Queen's account with a fine drive near the penalty spot, and Harris got through to beat Parkes just before the interval. The Gunners were prominent in several dangerous raids, but found Dennis and Taylor in great form in the Queen's defence.

The R.A. had more of the game after the interval, but the forwards lacked shooting ability, several excellent chances going astray. The winners were often at fault in this respect, also, Evans and Harris both missing stutters. The Gunners opened their account through Reed, the inside left netting with a clever effort. The remainder of the game was strongly favoured the Queen's, and Gill put them further ahead before the final whistle blew.

Result:—  
R.A. 3  
Queen's Regiment 1

Queen's Park v. Kilmarnock  
Rangers 1, Falkirk 1.  
St. Mirren 5, Third Lanark 0.  
Not played.

Reuter.

Division I.  
F. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.  
Wednesday 34 10 9 7 70 47 48  
Sunderland 34 18 8 10 81 54 42  
Leicester 32 15 7 10 73 55 37  
Blackburn 32 15 8 9 63 47 38  
Derby 34 16 7 11 68 50 39  
Aston Villa 32 16 4 12 71 62 36  
Leeds 32 15 6 11 61 60 36  
Arsenal 32 12 10 10 58 55 34  
Newcastle 34 14 5 14 58 67 33  
Everton 31 15 3 13 53 40 33  
Birmingham 32 12 8 12 58 60 32  
Huddersfield 31 13 8 10 60 52 32  
Bolton 32 11 9 12 59 58 31  
Liverpool 32 11 9 12 59 58 31  
Manchester City 32 12 7 13 73 51 31  
Burnley 33 12 5 16 64 84 29  
West Ham 33 11 7 15 69 79 29  
Sheffield U. 33 10 9 14 65 72 26  
Manch. U. 33 12 14 14 65 68 26  
Cardiff 33 8 9 17 38 47 25  
Bury 31 9 6 16 44 72 24  
Portsmouth 32 10 3 19 42 73 23

Division II.  
F. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.  
Middlesbrough 34 17 9 8 78 62 43  
Grimsby 32 18 5 9 67 50 41  
Sheff. U. 34 16 9 9 67 50 41  
Sheff. Wed. 34 15 9 10 56 45 39  
Sheff. Th. 33 15 10 8 55 48 38  
Millwall 31 14 7 10 60 58 36  
Bradford 32 17 3 12 69 57 37  
Stoke 33 13 10 10 68 57 37  
Blackpool 33 14 13 7 68 50 34  
Preston N.E. 34 14 5 14 65 61 33  
Notts. For. 33 11 11 11 56 58 33  
Hull 33 10 9 13 49 57 29  
Wolves 33 12 7 14 64 84 31  
Tottenham 32 14 3 15 67 81 31  
West Brom. 31 12 13 6 66 60 30  
Oldham 33 12 4 17





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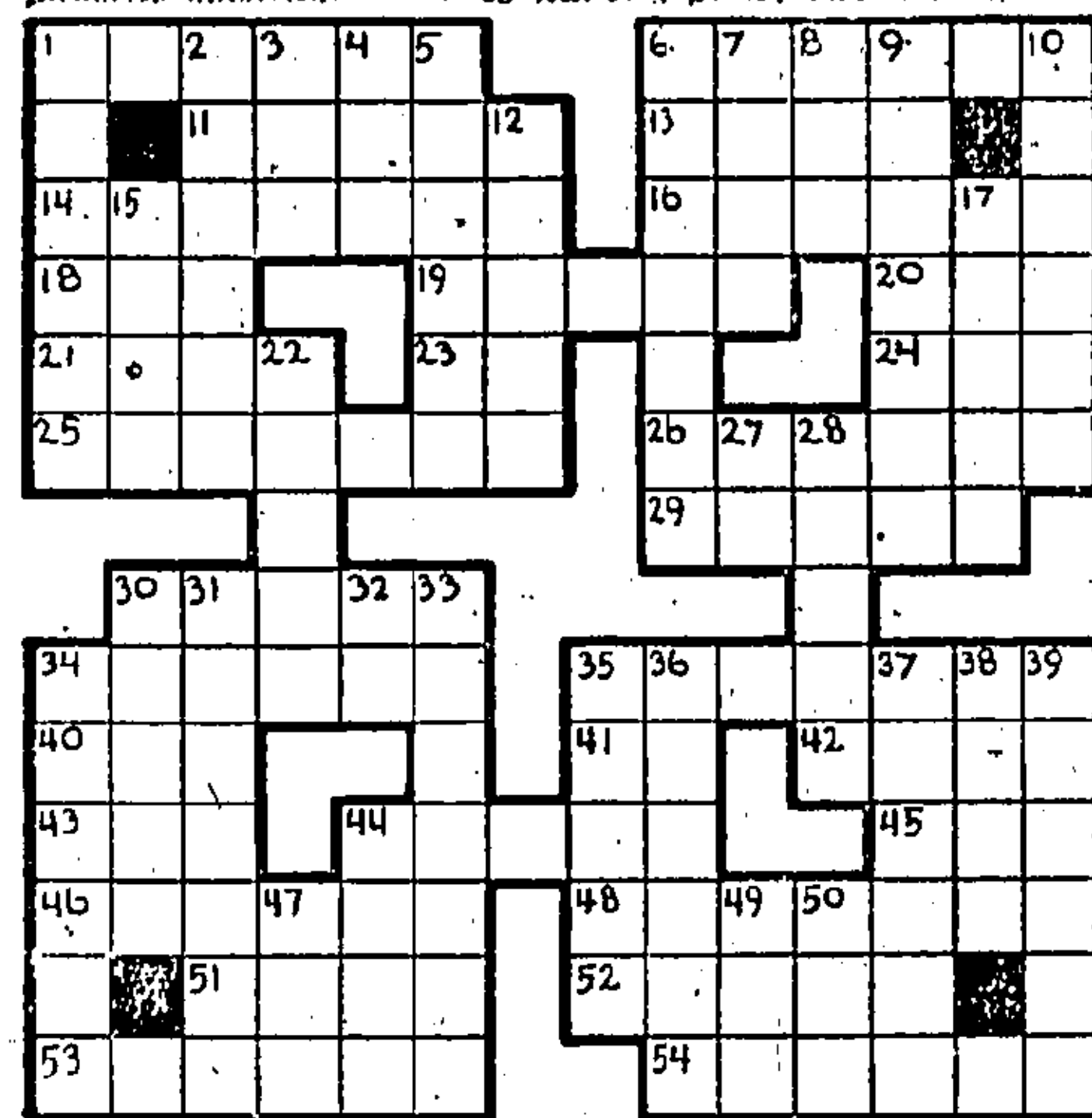
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### DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings such as harbo, plow, and altho.)



#### HORIZONTAL

- 1-A shore-bird
- 6-Public contests in old Greece
- 11-The brother of Moses
- 13-High wind
- 14-A flowering plant
- 15-Laughing (rare)
- 18-To drag
- 19-Finger
- 20-A Turkish governor
- 21-Metal-bearing rocks
- 23-The (Spanish)
- 24-A Roman household god
- 25-Spenders
- 26-Facing horses
- 28-To heap up
- 30-Support of France
- 32-Machine for sowing
- 33-A suffix used to denote bearing
- 40-A job
- 41-Behold
- 42-Incidental (Scott.)

#### HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 13-Before
- 14-Close by
- 15-Ignominy (abbr.)
- 16-An American settlement worker
- 18-Enclosed in a case
- 21-A melody
- 22-Abounds
- 23-Orderly arrangement into a whole
- 24-A minor part
- 25-Unfledged
- 26-Barns
- 28-Latitude (abbr.)
- 30-Time period
- 31-A Roman statesman
- 32-The manner of walking
- 33-Ancient
- 34-Sewing instruments
- 35-Woodland deity (pl.)
- 36-Fastens

#### VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 15-Light breeze
- 17-Approaches
- 22-Horse
- 23-Exist
- 24-The capital of Egypt
- 25-The hair on a man's face
- 31-A screen behind an altar
- 32-Compass point (abbr.)
- 33-Small window over a door
- 34-Cooks by steam
- 35-Braid
- 36-Having horns
- 37-An ancient kingdom of India
- 38-To incite
- 39-A fragrant wood
- 40-Friend (French)
- 41-Akte (Mus.)
- 42-A letter of the alphabet
- 43-Amount (abbr.)

#### SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES

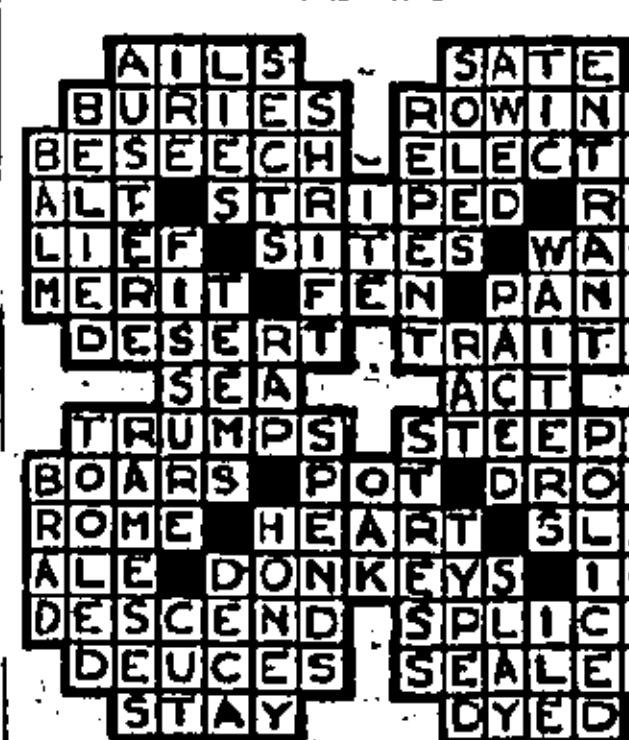
Start out by filling in the words which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to the words crossing them, and they in turn will help you. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

(The solution of the above cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue along with a new cross-word puzzle.)

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#### SATURDAY'S SOLUTION.



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### CRICKET

(Continued From Page 2)

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

|               | O.   | M. | R. | W. |
|---------------|------|----|----|----|
| Ross          | 11.5 | 1  | 64 | 1  |
| Brace         | 9    | 0  | 40 | 1  |
| Hutchins      | 8    | 1  | 48 | 2  |
| E. F. Fincher | 7    | 1  | 34 | 3  |
| Vodder        | 2    | 0  | 26 | 0  |
| Ramsay        | 3    | 0  | 8  | 0  |

#### Kowloon C.C.

|                                          |    |
|------------------------------------------|----|
| W. Brace, not out                        | 79 |
| A. W. Ramsay, b. Parker                  | 27 |
| E. C. Fincher, c. Owen Hughes, b. Dobbie | 23 |
| E. F. Fincher, c. Owen Hughes, b. Dobbie | 4  |
| H. Hutchins, not out                     | 2  |
| Extra                                    | 1  |

Total (for 3 wks.) ... 136

G. A. V. Hall, Capt. J. Vedder, S. Jex, N. H. Ross, H. Gregory and F. E. Lawrence did not bat.

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS

|             | O. | M. | R. | W. |
|-------------|----|----|----|----|
| Dobbie      | 11 | 5  | 22 | 1  |
| Wales       | 14 | 0  | 55 | 1  |
| Parker      | 5  | 1  | 9  | 1  |
| Bonnar      | 5  | 1  | 16 | 0  |
| Owen Hughes | 6  | 0  | 25 | 0  |
| Quick       | 8  | 1  | 8  | 0  |

#### NAVY v. W. C. HUNG'S XI.

At King's Park, the Royal Navy defeated an eleven captained by Mr. W. C. Hung by one wicket.

The batting on both sides was weak. W. C. Hung, with 34 runs to his credit, being the highest individual scorer.

Steady bowling, supported by a keen field, on the part of the Navy team, was chiefly responsible for the visitors being out for 61 runs.

The Navy replied with 73, winning the match with their last pair in. Kwan was in fine form with the ball, accounting for eight wickets for 38. Scores:—

|                                     |    |
|-------------------------------------|----|
| Mr. W. C. Hung's XI.                |    |
| W. H. Kwan, c. and b. Baker         | 9  |
| F. Lee, c. Baker, b. Large          | 9  |
| W. C. Hung, run out                 | 34 |
| W. H. Sling, c. Cobb, b. Large      | 1  |
| J. L. Youngsaye, c. and b. Weir     | 3  |
| Tauk Wai-pui, c. Suther, b. Weir    | 3  |
| F. R. Zimmerman, c. Suther, b. Weir | 0  |
| Tauk Hung-pui, run out              | 0  |
| J. Hung, not out                    | 1  |
| Tsue Yuen, c. Cobb, b. Bennett      | 1  |
| Extra                               | 1  |

Total (for 9 wks., dec.) 61

R. Lee did not bat.

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

|         | O. | M. | R. | W. |
|---------|----|----|----|----|
| Baker   | 5  | 0  | 18 | 1  |
| Large   | 8  | 1  | 22 | 2  |
| Weir    | 5  | 0  | 18 | 3  |
| Bennett | 2  | 1  | 0  | 1  |
| Moseley | 1  | 0  | 2  | 0  |

#### Royal Navy

|                                            |    |
|--------------------------------------------|----|
| Capt. H. D. Weir, b. W. C. Hung            | 8  |
| Inst. Lt.-Comdr. Abelson, c. Lee, b. Kwan  | 14 |
| Comdr. F. C. Baker, c. W. C. Hung, b. Kwan | 3  |
| Mid. C. C. Suther, b. Kwan                 | 4  |
| Sub-Lt. Moseley, b. Kwan                   | 5  |
| Lt. G. Davis, c. J. Hung, b. Kwan          | 0  |
| Comdr. R. Ramsbotham, c. Lee, b. Kwan      | 8  |
| Lt. C. R. Bennett, c. W. C. Hung, b. Kwan  | 2  |
| Lt. P. C. Taylor, not out                  | 14 |
| Lt. G. Cobb, c. Lee, b. Kwan               | 0  |
| A.B. Large, c. Lee, b. W. C. Hung          | 5  |
| Extras                                     | 10 |

Total ... 73

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

|            | O. | M. | R. | W. |
|------------|----|----|----|----|
| W. C. Hung | 8  | 0  | 27 | 2  |
| Kwan       | 8  | 0  | 36 | 3  |

#### C.C.C. v. "TITANIA"

At Happy Valley, the Craigengower C.C. lost to H.M.S. "Titania" by eight wickets.

Against 116 runs which the home team compiled, the "Titania" replied with 213.

For the winners, Sub-Lt. Carsa batted well for 61, other double figure scorers being C.P.O. Ball (49), E.R.A. Sparrow (30), P.O. Newcombe (15) and E.R.A. Hill (13).

For Craigengower, Lim played a forceful innings for 42, but with the exception of Omar (22) and Kitchell (19), the others could not get going. Scores:—

|                                     |    |
|-------------------------------------|----|
| Craigengower C.C.                   |    |
| H. P. Lian, c. Giles, b. Watch      | 42 |
| A. B. Hamson, c. Lonsdale, b. Hill  | 2  |
| R. C. Reed, c. Ball, b. Hill        | 6  |
| B. W. Bradbury, c. Hill, b. Sparrow | 8  |
| U. M. Omar, c. Stanley, b. Hill     | 22 |
| A. Kitchell, hit wicket, b. Hill    | 19 |
| F. Oliver, b. Sparrow               | 7  |
| H. D. Rumjahn, c. Ball, b. Hill     | 0  |
| Y. Abbas, c. Lonsdale, b. Hill      | 9  |
| B. Chan, hit wicket, b. Sparrow     | 0  |
| E. Lyon, not out                    | 1  |
| Extra                               | 1  |

Total ... 116

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

|          | O.  | M. | R. | W. |
|----------|-----|----|----|----|
| Hill     | 9.5 | 8  | 41 | 1  |
| Watch    | 7   | 0  | 42 | 1  |
| Newcombe | 4   | 1  | 15 | 0  |
| Sparrow  | 8   | 1  | 17 | 3  |

#### H.M.S. "Titania"

|                                   |    |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| C.P.O. Ball, c. Chan, b. Bradbury | 49 |
|-----------------------------------|----|

|                                      |    |
|--------------------------------------|----|
| P.O. Clarke, b. Oliver               | 0  |
| Sub Lt. Carsa, run out               | 61 |
| G. T. Giles, b. Bradbury             | 6  |
| Comdr. Stanley, b. Lim               | 0  |
| E.R.A. Sparrow, l.b.w., b. Bradbury  | 30 |
| Pay Lt. Watch, run out               | 9  |
| Lt. Lonsdale, c. Oliver, b. Bradbury | 5  |
| Pay Lt. Comdr. Littleton not out     | 5  |
| P.O. Newcombe, c. Kitchell, b. Lim   | 15 |
| E.R.A. Hill, run out                 | 13 |
| Extras                               | 20 |

Total ... 213

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

|          | O.  | M. | R. | W. |
|----------|-----|----|----|----|
| Hamson   | 8   | 0  | 48 | 0  |
| Oliver   | 7   | 0  | 30 | 1  |
| Omar     | 4   | 1  | 10 | 0  |
| Lyon     | 2   | 0  | 15 | 0  |
| Bradbury | 9.3 | 0  | 37 | 4  |
| Lim      | 6   | 0  | 58 | 2  |

#### RECREIO v. H.K.C.C. 2ND

At King's Park, the Club de Recreio lost to the Hong Kong C.C. second team by five wickets.

Splendid bowling by Duckitt, who accounted for six wickets for 18 runs, was largely instrumental in putting out the Portuguese XI for 103.

After passing the home team's score, for the loss of five wickets, the H.K.C.C. compiled a total of 166 for nine. Scores:—

|                                       |    |
|---------------------------------------|----|
| Club de Recreio                       |    |
| L. J. Guterres, c. Batger, b. Summers | 4  |
| D. P. Xavier, b. Summers              | 19 |
| H. A. Alves, c. Duncan, b. Reid       | 6  |
| H. M. Xavier, c. Summers, b. Duckitt  | 22 |
| M. F. Pinna, c. and b. Duckitt        | 18 |
| F. J. Remedios, b. Stock              | 16 |
| F. H. Carvalho, b. Duckitt            | 0  |
| J. W. Barnes, c. Batger, b. Duckitt   | 11 |
| H. A. Barros, c. Stock, b. Duckitt    | 10 |
| C. M. Sousa, not out                  | 0  |
| A. P. Silva, b. Duckitt               | 4  |
| Extras                                | 11 |

Total ... 108

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

|         | O.  | M. | R. | W. |
|---------|-----|----|----|----|
| Reid    | 7   | 0  | 18 | 1  |
| Summers | 9   | 0  | 40 | 2  |
| Duckitt | 7.5 | 0  | 18 | 6  |
| Stock   | 5   | 0  | 21 | 1  |

#### H.K.C.C. 2nd XI.

|                                          |    |
|------------------------------------------|----|
| L. A. R. Duncan, run out                 | 3  |
| K. H. Batger, b. Xavier                  | 14 |
| E. R. Duckitt, c. Xavier, b. Carvalho    | 10 |
| A. Reid, c. Guterres, b. Carvalho        | 17 |
| H. F. L. Ewin, c. Barnes, b. Xavier      | 40 |
| G. E. R. Duckitt, c. Barnes, b. Remedios | 31 |
| J. A. Summers, c. Xavier, b. Alves       | 10 |
| W. Harris-Walker, c. Xavier, b. Sousa    | 3  |
| H. R. Remington, not out                 | 12 |
| B. L. Stock, c. Barnes, b. Alves         | 5  |
| Extras                                   | 11 |

Total (for 9 wks.) ... 156

A. H. Gillingham did not bat.

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

|          | O.   | M. | R. | W. |
|----------|------|----|----|----|
| Xavier   | 12   | 2  | 23 | 2  |
| Alves    | 11.2 | 2  | 40 | 2  |
| Pinna    | 6    | 1  | 32 | 0  |
| Carvalho | 5    | 0  | 35 | 2  |
| Remedios | 3    | 0  | 11 | 1  |
| Sousa    | 3    | 1  | 4  | 1  |

#### LEAGUE TABLES

| Division I.        | P. | W. | D. | L. | Pts. |
|--------------------|----|----|----|----|------|
| Hong Kong C.C.     | 7  | 5  | 2  | 0  | 17   |
| University         | 8  | 5  | 1  | 2  | 16   |
| Kowloon C.C.       | 8  | 3  | 3  | 2  | 12   |
| Royal Navy         | 8  | 3  | 1  | 4  | 10   |
| Royal Artillery    | 7  | 3  | 0  | 4  | 9    |
| Indian R.C.        | 6  | 2  | 2  | 8  | 8    |
| Chinese R.C.       | 7  | 2  | 1  | 4  | 7    |
| Craigengower C.C.  | 7  | 1  | 3  | 6  | 6    |
| Civil Service C.C. | 8  | 1  | 3  | 4  | 6    |

| Division II.     | P. | W. | D. | L. | Pts. |
|------------------|----|----|----|----|------|
| H.K.C.C. 2nd     | 11 | 10 | 0  | 1  | 30   |
| Indian R.C. 2nd  | 12 | 9  | 1  | 2  | 28   |
| R.E. & S.        | 11 | 8  | 0  | 3  | 24   |
| Kowloon C.C. 2nd | 11 | 5  | 4  | 2  | 19   |
| C.S.C.C. 2nd     | 11 | 5  | 2  | 4  | 17   |
| Recreio          | 12 | 5  | 1  | 6  | 14   |
| University 2nd   | 10 | 4  | 2  | 4  | 14   |
| R.A.S.C.         | 10 | 4  | 2  | 4  | 14   |
| Craigengower 2nd | 11 | 4  | 2  | 5  | 14   |
| Police R.C.      | 11 | 3  | 0  | 8  | 9    |
| Royal Navy 2nd   | 10 | 2  | 1  | 7  | 7    |
| R.A.O.C.         | 9  | 2  | 0  | 7  | 6    |
| Electric R.C.    | 11 | 0  | 3  | 8  | 3    |

#### Yesterday's Games

CRAIGENGOWER C.C. LOSE BY 33 RUNS

Mr. N. A. E. Mackay's eleven defeated the Craigengower by 33 runs in a friendly match on the latter's ground yesterday afternoon.

|                                              |    |
|----------------------------------------------|----|
| Mr. Mackay's Eleven                          |    |
| N. A. E. Mackay, b. S. Abbas                 | 30 |
| F. Lee, b. S. Abbas                          | 8  |
| F. S. N. Smith, b. Oliver                    | 15 |
| J. L. Youngsaye, c. Ismail, b. A. M. Rumjahn | 20 |
| G. Hadley, b. S. Abbas                       | 0  |
| A. C. Howell, run out                        | 0  |
| H. A. Gregory, run out                       | 0  |
| W. Youngsaye, c. Lim, b. Y. Abbas            | 5  |
| E. Shee, run out                             | 0  |
| G. Lee, not out                              | 24 |
| Extras                                       | 8  |

Total (for nine wks.) ... 107

|                                      |    |
|--------------------------------------|----|
| E. Fincher did not bat.              |    |
| Craigengower                         |    |
| H. G. Lim, c. Youngsaye, b. Lee      | 14 |
| A. S. Suffad, c. Youngsaye, b. Smith | 20 |
| E. Zimmerman, c. Fincher, b. Smith   | 1  |
| A. M. Rumjahn, c. Mackay, b. Lee     | 0  |
| F. Oliver, b. Hadley                 | 21 |
| S. Abbas, l.b.w., Lee                | 4  |
| Y. Abbas, c. Lee, b. Gregory         | 0  |
| R. C. Reid, not out                  | 4  |
| A. A. Lewis, c. Mackay, b. Gregory   | 0  |
| S. Ismail, b. Gregory                | 0  |
| P. Pankhurst, b. Gregory             | 0  |
| Extras                               | 4  |

Total ... 74

#### MATCH AT UNIVERSITY

Dr. Ponsonby Fane's XI beat the University Phoenix XI by 11 runs, in a whole-day match. Scores:—

|                              |     |
|------------------------------|-----|
| Dr. Ponsonby Fane's XI.      |     |
| W. Hung, c. & b. C. W. Lam   | 29  |
| D. Laing, run out            | 120 |
| J. Barrow, b. Anderson       | 4   |
| Capt. E. Frith, b. C. W. Lam | 3   |
| A. H. Rumjahn, b. Anderson   | 18  |
| A. B. Hamson, b. Anderson    | 9   |
| A. T. Lee, c. & b. Anderson  | 10  |
| L. T. Ride, b. Anderson      | 0   |
| A. O. Swayne, b. Lam         | 18  |
| E. B. Reed, b. Anderson      | 2   |
| R. Ponsonby Fane, not out    | 1   |
| Extras                       | 29  |

Total ... 243

#### University Phoenix

|                                         |    |
|-----------------------------------------|----|
| D. J. Anderson, b. Swayne               | 59 |
| S. V. Gittins, b. Swayne                | 11 |
| S. R. Kermani, run out                  | 64 |
| A. Baker, l.b.w., Swayne                | 4  |
| C. W. Lam, l.b.w., Reed                 | 7  |
| A. B. Sulleman, b. Lee                  | 22 |
| A. Chan Fook, not out                   | 19 |
| K. P. Gan, c. Frith, b. Rumjahn         | 11 |
| F. S. Chen, c. Laing, b. Swayne         | 2  |
| A. A. Aziz, c. Ponsonby Fane, b. Swayne | 0  |
| D. Roy absent                           | 0  |
| Extras                                  | 33 |

Total ... 232

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COMMUNICATION WITH HONG KONG TO-DAY.

Suiyang, Seattle Maru, Taketoyo Maru, Kiangchow, Anking, Klu-  
kiang, Times Maru, Santhia, Franconia, Kitano Maru, Patroclus,  
Tango Maru, Hinsang, Canton Maru, Nippon.

### INWARD MAILS.

From TUESDAY, MARCH 19.

Japan ..... Tango Maru  
Straits ..... Van Heutsz  
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia, London,  
25th and 26th Feb. .... Patroclus

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20.

Straits ..... Santhia  
Straits ..... Kitano Maru

### THURSDAY, MARCH 21.

Straits and London (Parcels Mail, London,  
14th Feb.) ..... Karmala  
Europe via Negapatam (Letters only, London,  
London, 21st Feb.) ..... Yuensang  
Australia and Manila ..... Aki Maru

### OUTWARD MAILS.

For MONDAY, MARCH 18.

Saigon ..... Lyons Maru ..... 3.30 p.m.

\*Japan, \*Canada, \*U.S.A., \*C. &  
\*S. America and \*Europe via  
Victoria, B.C.—due Victoria,  
B.C., 8th Apr. Parcels 3 p.m. Re-  
gistration 4.15 p.m. Letters 5  
p.m.

Sam Shui and Wuchow ..... 4.30 p.m.  
Straits ..... Sado Maru ..... 4.30 p.m.  
Amoy ..... Fook Sang ..... 5 p.m.  
\*Straits and Calcutta ..... Celebes Maru ..... 5 p.m.  
Hohow and Haiphong ..... New Mathilde ..... 5 p.m.

Shanghai and Europe via Siberia  
Registration 5 p.m. Letters 6 p.m.

### TUESDAY, MARCH 19.

Saigon and South Africa ..... Hawaii Maru ..... 9.30 a.m.  
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ..... Halyang ..... Noon.  
Amoy ..... Shantung ..... 3.30 p.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius,  
L. Marques, E. & S. Africa,  
Egypt and Europe via Marseilles  
—due Marseilles, 17th Apr.  
K.P.O. Registration 3 p.m. Let-  
ters 4.30 p.m. G.P.O. Registra-  
tion 4.15 p.m. Letters 6 p.m.

Swatow ..... Patroclus ..... 5 p.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A.,  
C. & S. America and \*Europe  
via Vancouver, B.C.—due Van-  
couver, B.C., 8th Apr. and Europe  
via Siberia. Parcels (Mar. 19) 5  
p.m. Registration (Mar. 20) 9.15  
a.m. Letters (Mar. 20) 10 a.m.

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20.

\*Shanghai, \*Japan, Honolulu and  
\*San Francisco—due San Fran-  
cisco, 15th Apr. .... Taiyo Maru ..... 8.30 a.m.  
Hohow ..... Kiangsu ..... 8.30 a.m.

\*Correspondence bearing vessel's name only.

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## GENIUS AT COUNTER- ESPIONAGE

### ADMIRAL HALL

ILL-HEALTH BARS POLITICAL  
PARTICIPATION

### NOT TO CONTEST SEAT

London, Yesterday.  
Admiral Sir Reginald Hall, Con-  
servative member of Eastbourne,  
will not contest the division at the  
General Election.

This decision has been reached  
owing to his continued ill-health.  
The Admiral became famous for  
his work as head of the Naval In-  
telligence Department during the  
war. He several times narrowly  
escaped assassination. He was a  
genius at counter-espionage and  
was responsible for obtaining  
Bernstorff's letter, which was the  
factor which decided America to  
enter the War.—British Wireless  
Service.

## THE PRIMATE

MEDITERRANEAN CRUISE FOR  
HIS HEALTH

### FOUR WEEKS' TRIP

London, March 16.  
The Archbishop of Canterbury  
will leave England on Easter Mon-  
day for a tour in the Mediterranean  
in Pierpont Morgan's yacht "Cor-  
sair." The tour was planned some  
two years ago as a purely private  
holiday. It now comes at a for-  
tunate moment, which should be of  
great assistance in completing the  
Archbishop's convalescence, but it  
is pointed out that circumstances  
make it more imperative that the  
trip should be of a private char-  
acter.

The trip will last four weeks, and  
it is expected that the Primate will  
visit Athens, Alexandria and Jeru-  
salem and that visits will be paid  
to the high ecclesiastics in those  
cities. At Jerusalem Sir John  
Chancellor, the High Commissioner  
for Palestine, has arranged a re-  
ception in honour of the Arch-  
bishop. Every effort will be made  
to spare him unnecessary exertion.  
The Archbishop is much better in  
health and it is expected that after  
the sea trip he will be fully able  
to resume the great activity to  
which he is accustomed.—British  
Wireless Service.

London, Yesterday.—The death is  
announced of Mr. Frank Bradley  
Varley, the Labour Member of  
Parliament for Mansfield since  
1923. Mr. Varley, who was 44 years  
of age, was the financial secretary  
to the Nottingham Miners' Associa-  
tion. He is the tenth member of  
the House of Commons to die within  
three months.—Reuter.

The plan for Miss Isobel Elsom  
to appear at the London Coliseum in  
Sir James Barrie's playlet, "Half  
An Hour," has fallen through.

## GENEVA & LABOUR

DIRECTOR TO REPORT ON FAR  
EAST TOUR

### JAPAN EXPRESSES THANKS

Geneva, Yesterday.  
The governing body of the Inter-  
national Labour Office has concluded  
its sessions, which will next be held  
in June, when the director (M.  
Thomas) will report on his tour to  
the Far East.  
Mr. Yoshisaka, on behalf of  
Japan, thanked the director for his  
visit to Japan.—Reuter.

## U.S. FLOODS

750 SCHOOL CHILDREN  
MAROONED

### ELBA UNDER WATER

Montgomery, Alabama.  
Saturday.  
Practically the whole population  
of Elba has been forced to climb  
to the roofs and a number of  
families has taken refuge on the  
tree tops. 150 are reported drown-  
ed and 350 children marooned in a  
school.

The last news, prior to the cut-  
ting off of communications, came  
from a brave woman telephone  
operator who described the onrush  
of the floods and said that nearly  
the whole city was under water.—  
Reuter's American Service.

[An earlier cable stated:—  
Very serious floods are following  
the heavy rains in Alabama,  
Georgia, Nebraska, Iowa and  
Illinois. Alabama has suffered the  
worst. At least five towns are in-  
undated, including Flomston and  
Brewton, where 10,000 persons are  
reported to be in danger as they are  
without food supplies. Four thou-  
sand were cut off on the 14th inst.  
at Elba.]

At present it is impossible to  
estimate the number of dead and in-  
jured as communications have been  
cut off. Seaplanes are drop-  
ping bread for those marooned  
and in some areas na-  
tional guardsmen and coastguards  
are attempting to rescue by  
means of motor-boats.]

## STORMY SPAIN

DISORDERS NOW BECOMING  
WORSE

### Hendaye, Saturday.

The Spanish disorders are be-  
coming worse. Disturbances have  
broken out in Granada and the  
city of General Primo de Rivera  
torn to pieces.

### Fathers to be Fined

### Madrid, Saturday.

Madrid's Cabinet has decided  
that those students guilty of par-  
ticipation in the disturbances will  
be sent to rigorous imprisonment  
and their fathers will be heavily  
fined if the students are under age.  
Eighteen students, whose parents  
reside in the provinces, are being  
sent home as the universities are  
to be closed for a long time.—Reu-  
ter.

## DISASTROUS PLANE CRASH

13 KILLED: 1 INJURED

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY IN NEW  
JERSEY

### PILOT UNHURT

New York, Yesterday.  
Thirteen persons were killed and  
one seriously injured when a  
Colonial Airways plane crashed at  
Newark Meadows, New Jersey.  
The pilot was unhurt.—Reuter's  
American Service.

## MARSHAL FOCH

GRAVE CONDITION CAUSING  
DEEP CONCERN

### NINE DOCTORS CONSULT

Paris, Yesterday.  
Deep concern is felt in Paris at  
the grave condition of Marshal  
Foch.

Severe kidney trouble has devel-  
oped and the doctors consider an  
operation necessary. Owing to his  
general condition, however, such a  
course is impossible at the moment.  
No less than nine doctors held a  
consultation over the patient on  
Saturday evening.—Reuter.

## PRINCE GEORGE

GOING TO FOREIGN OFFICE  
ON DUTY

### IN WESTERN DEPARTMENT

London, Yesterday.  
In order to enable him to become  
acquainted with affairs from a  
diplomatic angle, Prince George will  
on March 18 take up a short spell  
of temporary duty in the Foreign  
Office. Afterwards he is expected  
to join a squadron stationed either  
in the Pacific or the western seas.

As the Prince will be brought in  
contact mainly with the peoples of  
the American continent, his period  
in the Foreign Office will be spent  
in the western department.—Reuter.

## SPEED MANIA

CAPTAIN CAMPBELL'S  
DECISION

### NO TURNING BACK

Cape Town, Saturday.  
Captain Malcolm Campbell,  
after fruitless attempts to find a  
suitable track in the Sahara and  
elsewhere, has finally selected the  
dried up bed of Lake Verneukpan,  
in Cape Province, 400 miles from  
Cape Town.

He went there in January to pre-  
pare for his attempt on the world's  
speed record in his car, Bluebird.  
He has been inundated with  
messages from Britain, since the  
death of Lee Bible urging him to  
abandon the "suicidal" attempt.

Captain Campbell, interviewed  
by Reuter, said "I have embarked  
on the enterprise, from which  
there will be no turning back." He  
had surmounted tremendous  
difficulties in connection with the  
track, and he had overcome others,  
but the track possessed wonderful  
possibilities, and he was confident  
of success. He declared that the  
tests were highly interesting and  
instructive because, whilst an alti-  
tude of 3,000 feet meant 11 per  
cent. loss of engine power, due to  
impaired carburation, some com-  
pensation was likely to accrue from  
the reduced air resistance to the  
rarefied atmosphere.—Reuter.

### Manslaughter Invitations

### New York, Saturday.

The "New York World," in an  
editorial, says that Major Segrave  
and others have merely succeeded  
in proving the possibility of driv-  
ing on a special track specially  
constructed, but this is useless in  
a car at a pace which it is too  
dangerous to permit. Why does  
not the automobile industry accept  
this proof as sufficient and frown  
on all future exhibitions? Why  
does any town issue invitations for  
manslaughter?—Reuter's American  
Service.

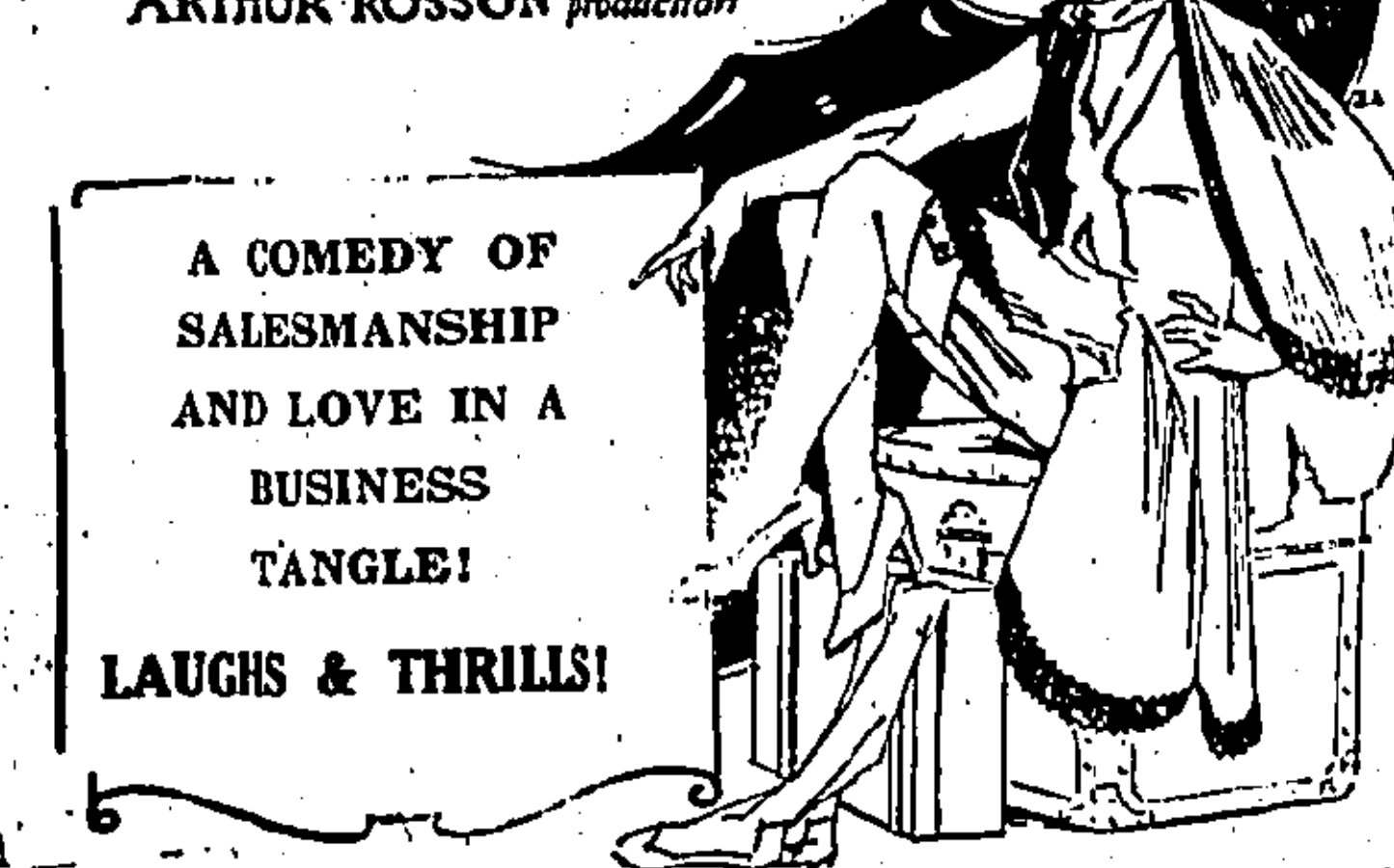
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silk mixed goods last year  
exceeded those of 1927 by 26,955,  
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Dr. R. de Marées van Swinderen,  
the Dutch Minister in London, is  
suffering from bronchitis at the  
Hague, where he is on holiday.

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CHINA'S FAMINE

16 MILLION SUFFERERS IN THREE PROVINCES

NANKING OFFICIAL'S REPORT

Nanking, Saturday.

The Minister of Public Health, who was recently sent to Honan,

Shensi and Kansu to report on the actual famine conditions, so as to give the Central Government a definite idea of the funds required and what best steps to take by way of relief work, reports that there are more than 7 1/2 million famine sufferers in Honan, 8 1/4 million in Shensi and 2 1/4 million in Kansu, making a total of more than 18 millions in these three provinces alone.—Reuter.

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